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FATHER KILLS BRIDE SHIELDING HUSBAND

Arkansas Girl Steps Between Two Men as Parent, Angered by Marriage, Discharges Shotgun.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ELDORADO, Ark., Feb. 5.—Throwing herself between the two men as her father fired at her husband, Mrs. Felix Jobes, an 18-year-old bride, was instantly killed today.

Andrew Bradshaw, who lives on a farm near Smackover, Union County, was angered by his daughter's marriage to Jobes and today went to the home of his son-in-law with a shotgun. After a few words with Jobes, Bradshaw raised his weapon.

Mrs. Jobes stepped within range of the gun and shielded her husband. Bradshaw fired and the bullet entered Mrs. Jobes' heart.

Bradshaw was arrested and brought to Jail in Eldorado.

GOOD BY, "JOHN SMITH," YOU'RE ON RETIRED LIST

Clearing House Announces You Can't Circulate Here Any Longer.

The "John Smith" checks have been permanently retired by St. Louis bankers. Only a few have been in circulation for some time, but the action of the St. Louis Clearing House in retiring Wednesday the last of the clearing-house certificates gives assurance that no more home-made money will be in circulation.

The "John Smith" checks were issued by several St. Louis banks to help them tide over the recent financial stringency. They were secured by the assets of the banks, and passed as money. The St. Louis Clearing House issued, during the period of the stringency, $15,965,000 in certificates, the last of which were retired Wednesday. The greatest amount of clearing-house certificates in use at any one time was $10,578,000.

The retiring of the clearing-house certificates evidences the restoration of normal financial conditions in St. Louis.

They Totaled $15,965,000.

W. H. Lee, president of the St. Louis Clearing House, made the following announcement:

"Today the last of the Clearing House certificates were retired. This is in accordance with the plan determined upon by the Committee of Management. Some time since the committee, after a thorough investigation of the situation, decided that the conditions permitted the retirement of 50 per cent of the certificates held, and notice of this decision of the committee was served upon the members of the Clearing House and acted upon. Today, in consequence of a like action by the committee, the remaining 50 per cent of the certificates have been retired.

"The total certificates issued was $15,965,000, and the greatest amount in use at one time was $10,578,000."

BOLD ASSASSINS HURL THUNDERBOLT AT HATED DESPOT, KING WINTER

Spring, Pretender to Throne, Arranges Plot Which Shakes Ruler's Power.

THE TEMPERATURES.

Midnight	34	8 a. m.	48
2 a. m.	36	10 a. m.	52
4 a. m.	38	12 (noon)	43
6 a. m.	44	2 p. m.	37
7 a. m.	46	3 p. m.	36



Thunder! A bold attempt was made to assassinate King Winter early Wednesday. For a long time his subjects have shown signs of discontent, and this feeling of unrest culminated when the arrogant King issued a proclamation in which he said:

"Grovel, ye low-born furnace feeders. I'm going to hold on till it thunders."

Spring, the pretender, arranged the thunder demonstration. King Winter dies hard. He is holding on by his whiskers now. But he's going to make one more big kick before he lets go.

The forecast: Fair and colder Wednesday night and Thursday. High northwest winds, diminishing Thursday. The minimum temperature will be 20 degrees.

The temperatures in other cities at 7 a. m. was: Boston and Buffalo, zero; Denver and Pittsburg, 22; Chicago, 32; Cincinnati, 34; Kansas City, 36; Louisville, 40; New York, 4; New Orleans, 60; St. Paul, 20; San Francisco, 50; Washington, 14; Philadelphia 6.

COULD DOGS AS POLICE ARREST OUR ATTENTION?

St. Louis Officer Says They Wouldn't Be Worth a Scent on the Force.

Published accounts of the successful employment of dogs as policemen in New York led a Post-Dispatch reporter to ask Chief Creecy whether the plan was likely to be adopted here.

The Chief hemmed and hawed, and at length referred the reporter to Policeman John Driscoll of the Manchester Avenue Station.

Driscoll used to have the South St. Louis beat on which the dog pound is located.

"Dogs make good policemen?" echoed Driscoll, an expression of haggard contempt relieving his usual look of good nature. "Well, I should respectfully decline to affix my signature to a document containing such a ridiculous assertion. What good on earth would dogs be to the Police Department? They can't vote. They can't testify in court, and, although they do carry tales, they can't talk a drunken man into believing that de ought to go home.



"Good thief catchers? Say, it would be a sin and a shame to ask the Police Relief Association to carry a dog on its membership list. In the first place, it requires a superior mind to train a dog. Now, I don't want to cast any aspersions on my brother officers, but let me ask you a question. Is there a policeman in St. Louis who possesses the necessary qualification?

"You've seen that famous painting entitled 'His Master's Voice,' haven't you? Well, now, how would it look to see a lot of cartoons entitled 'His Master's Breath' plastered in the newspapers? Don't ask me what I think about dogs as policemen. It gives me the bow-wows.

"Where is the dog that will ever be able to learn our manual? And where is the sergeant that could charge a dog - policeman with insubordination? Why, man alive, a dog could use terribly rough language and the sergeant wouldn't know what he was talking about. The only dog-policeman I ever saw that looked anything like a minion of the law was on the stage, and he couldn't even arrest my attention.

"Dogs are all right in their place, but when it comes to turning the police force into a bench show I say not for Fido.



Objects to Dog Names.

"Friends have referred to me as Prince and Sport—both are dog names—and that is about as near to a dog as I care about being. If we have a dog-squad our enemies will be calling up Gyp and Tige.

"Another thing I want to say about dogs, while I'm on the subject, is that: Just because a dog can follow a scent is no sign that he will go wherever a copper is sent.

"I'd hate to see the Police Department, after all of Mr. Stewart's fine work, go to the dogs. Forget it."

SKYSCRAPER, OF 28 STORIES, TO COST $2,500,000

Proposed Stone and Marble Loft Struture Will Cover Half Block.

BUYERS' CLUB BUILDING

Will Be Highest in City and Adapted to the Jobbing Trade.

Plans have been completed by Eames & Young, architects, for a building, which, with a proposed tower, will be 28 stories high, will occupy an entire half block and will cost approximately $1,500,000, and with the land, representing an investment of $2,500,000.

It is to be built by a syndicate of Chicago and St. Louis capitalists, of which H. A. Vrooman, promoter and president of the State Trust Co. of St. Louis, is the leading spirit. The structure will be known as the Buyers' Club Building.

The location has not been authoritatively disclosed, but it is understood that the building will be erected at the northeast corner of Eighteenth street and Washington avenue.

Eames & Young's perspective shows a full 20-story structure, with a tower of five finished stories.

White Stone and Marble.

The building is to be of white stone and marble in plain design, relieved in beautiful carved effects.

The building will be fire-proof throughout and will be equipped with every device and appliance known to modern office building construction, including express elevators for the quick dispatch of a mammoth jobbing business.

Modern Loft Structure.

It will be operated after buildings of this character in New Yohk and Chicago.

The arrangement will provide for the domiciling of a multiplicity of concerns, the object of the promoters looking to a building in which the jobbing interests of the city may be concentrated.

Mr. [illegible] is a millionaire St. Louis apartment building owner, having built "The Vrooman," the largest apartment building in the city, and many other larger residential structures in the West End.

WOMEN AUTOISTS ENDOW ROOM IN HOSPITAL FOR ANTICIPATED VICTIMS

Say If Bed Is Ever Unoccupied Other Chauffeurs' Injured Will Be Welcome.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—The Garretson Hospital, opened today, will be the first in the country to have an endowed bed reserved for the use of victims of automobile accidents. Money for the purpose is being raised by members of the Quaker City Ladies' Motor Club.

A stipulation of their deed of gift will be that victims of their own cars will have a prior right to the bed, after which others who may be injured by reckless or careless motorists will have a chance to use it if it be unoccupied at the time.

Automobiles killed or injured 1568 persons in the United States last year.

EVANS' FLEET TO START ON PERILOUS VOYAGE FRIDAY

At Puenta Arenas Warships Are Preparing for Trip Through Straits of Magellan.

PUNTA ARENAS, Straits of Magellan, Feb. 5.—Festivities in honor of the officers and men of the visiting American fleet are giving Punta Arenas social activity that never before has been witnessed in the southernmost city in the world.

A reception by the American Consul last evening was a brilliant function.

Some of the American officers called on the officers of the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco yesterday and in the evening a dinner was given on the American battleship Minnesota, at which the Chilean and English officers were guests.

Admiral Evans will give a reception Thursday on board his flagship, the Connecticut.

It is expected that all preparations for sailing will be complete by Thursday evening and that the American fleet will leave here Friday morning.

HARRIMAN'S DAUGHTER IS ILL

Young Woman Accompanied by Mother to Hospital.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 5.—Miss Cornelia Harriman, daughter of E. H. Harriman, is a patient at Johns Hopkins Hospital. Miss Harriman has been for two years a student at St. Timothy's School, at Catonsville, and recently contracted a cold which settled in one of her ears. Her condition is not serious.

Mrs. Harriman is here from New York with her daughter, who recently announced her engagement to Robert L. Gerry, son of Commodore Eldridge T. Gerry.

THAW COUNTESS BUYS A DIVORCE FROM YARMOUTH

Pays Third of Fortune to Regain American Maiden Name.

WIFE COMING HOME

Wins Praise for Dignity in Trying Position in Society.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Sir Birrell Barnes, president of the Divorce Court, today granted to the Countess of Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw of Pittsburg, a decree nullifying her marriage to the Earl of Yarmouth.

The case was heard in private. At the time fixed for the commencement of the proceedings, every one not actually engaged on the case was excluded from the courtroom. The Countess, attired in a fashionable black gown, was present, but the Earl of Yarmouuth was not in court.

Fortune Settled on Him.

The hearing lasted 30 minutes. Three witnesses were heard for the Countess. The Earl made no defense. It has developed that one-third of the Countess' fortune has been settled on the husband.

A conference between the legal representatives of the Earl and his wife was held yesterday, at which it was said the former proposed to let the case go by default on condition that ample financial provision was made for him. The agreement for a settlement was evidently the outcome of this meeting. Yarmouth maintained up to the very last however, that he would fight the case His witnesses, including physicians, servants and numerous personal friends, were ready to take the stand when the case was called. Neither the Earl nor his witnesses actually entered the courtroom. One rumor has it that the agreement was not reached uutil after the hearing had begun.

Must Drop Her Title.

The Countess must drop her title and resume her maiden name. Both she and the Earl can remarry if they desire The Countess refused to see any one She left the courtroom, closely guarded by her counsel and a party of detectives, and immediately motored away. It is understood she shortly will go to America.

The nature of the charges on which the wife's demand for a marriage annulment were based have not been published, but the report is that she alleged, among other things, that her husband was a married man when he wedded her.

She had witnesses, it was said, to show that, some time before the ceremony, he eloped from London to Scotland with an actress and entered into a verbal agreement in the presence of witnesses to live with her as her husband—a valid agreement under Scotch law.

The actress was said subsequently to have accepted a sum of money for leaving the Earl and to have died in Paris after the latter's marriage to Miss Thaw.

Denied Social Position.

It has been well known for two years that the domestic affairs of the Yarmouths were unhappy. The Earl's companions and his manner of living, it was said, were such that he could not give his wife the place in society which she had a right to expect. She supplied large sums of money to defray her husband's extravagances, and her friends say that she has conducted herself with dignity throughout the troubles resulting from this unhappy union and the difficulties of her brother, Harry Kendall Thaw.

The fact that the Countess had decided definitely to seek an annulment of her marriage was made known here Jan. 3, when she applied to the divorce court for a decree. The Hertford family, the head of which is the Marquis of Hertford, whose heir the Earl of Yarmouth is, is one of the oldest and proudest of the British nobility. The Marchioness of Hertford stood by her daughter-in-law throughout her troubles and exerted herself to reconcile the couple, but in vain.

Wooed Thaw's Aunt.

Alice Cornelia Thaw married George Francis Alexander Seymour, Earl of Yarmouth, April 27, 1903. Before coming to America the Earl appeared on the stage in Australia and New Zealand in the guise of a ballet dancer. Harry Thaw and the Earl became fast friends in London in 1902 and Thaw induced Yarmouth to visit the Thaw home near Pittsburg over Christmas. The "broken" Earl accepted the invitation and thus met the fair Elizabeth Thaw, aunt of his friend Harry, and sued ardently, only to be turned away.

Later he wooed Miss Alice, Harry's sister. Despite their previous friendliness, Harry Thaw and the Earl became enemies before the marriage. It was said that the Earl held the wedding coach and delayed the ceremony half an hour to enforce his demand for the entire dot of the bride—$250,000. There was a stormy scene, in which the titled bridegroom and the bride's brother almost came to blows. Harry Thaw was to have given his sister away, but he failed to appear and Mrs. William Thaw, the mother, substituted her younger son, Josiah. Yarmouth was pressed by creditors even to the hour of the wedding.

EARL WHO LOSES HIS WIFE AND AMERICAN WHO DROPS TITLE



THE COUNTESS of YARMOUTH.



EARL OF YARMOUTH.

ALFRED CARR DIES; WIDOW HURRIES HOME

Alfred Carr, former State Superintendent of Insurance, died at 3 a. m. Wednesday at the home of his son, Peyton T. Carr, 62 Vandeventer place, aged 76 years.

His widow, who was the daughter of James E. Yeatman, banker and philanthropist in Civil War days, is on her way here from New York City, and funeral arrangements will await her arrival. She went there intending to sail for Europe, but was intercepted by a message telling of her husband's serious illness.

Heart disease caused Mr. Carr's death. He had been ill but two days.

Born in Kentucky.

Mr. Carr was a native of Lexington, Ky., was of revolutionary ancestry and came to St. Louis as a boy. His father died and his mother married A. B. Chambers, owner of the Missouri Republican.

Mr. Carr worked in the business and editorial departments of the Republican for many years. He was an intimate acquaintance and a warm admirer of the late Frank R. O'Neil.

He was a director of the Mercantile Library since its foundation and was one of the trustees of the Provident Association since its foundation. He was for many years secretary of the Covenant Mutual Life Insurance Co., absorbed in 1898 by a New York company.

He was appointed State Superintendent of Insurance by Gov. Marmaduke in 1885, and held the office seven years. He was afterward in the real estate business.

SHEPARD KNAPP, FORMER NEWSPAPER MAN, DEAD

Shepard Knapp, former newspaper man and member of an old St. Louis family, died at his home in Main street, Kirkwood, Wednesday, after a lingering illness due to kidney trouble. He was 72 years old.

Mr. Knapp was the eldest of six sons of the late Col. George Knapp, at one time head of the company that owned and published the Missouri Republic, now the St. Louis Republic.

Shepard Knapp became a reporter on the paper when a young man and had charge of the river news, then an important assignment. He left the paper's service when William Hyde retired as editor about twenty years ago. He has not been actively engaged in business since.

ROCKEFELLER IN LOCAL HOTEL; HAS A WOMAN GUEST

Frank G., Brother of John D., Has a Suite at the Southern.

Having spent a day of sightseeing in St. Louis, Frank G. Rockefeller, a brother of John D. Rockefeller, head of the Standard Oil Co., and C. L. Lamonte, a Cleveland business associate, departed Wednesday morning for St. Francois County, Missouri, where they will inspect the plant of the American Lead Works, in which they are jointly interested.

Mrs. J. F. Robinson of Columbus, O., who was their guest at the Southern Hotel, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Wednesday that she came to St. Louis to complete an important business transaction in which Mr. Rockefeller had shown a fatherly interest.

Woman Denies Mystery.

"There is no mystery about me whatever, as some persons seem to think," said Mrs. Robinson.

"Mr. Rockefeller stated at first that I was a friend of Mr. Lamonte and traveling with him to California, and Mr. Lamonte said I was Mr. Rockefeller's friend, just to get rid of annoyances."

Mrs. Robinson is a brunette, apparently 40 years old. She wears gold-rimmed nose glasses. Her dress is that of a woman of wealth and fashion.

Pushing back the lapels of a rich seal skin sack, Mrs. Robinson, her eyes flashing, declared that she was mortified by the publicity she had received.

"Mr. Rockefeller is a kind old gentleman and he has been very good to me. Goodness! What will my folks in Columbus say or think. I move in the best circles of that city. Ask anybody there about Mrs. J. F. Robinson and they will tell you she belongs to one of the best families.

"How long have I lived in Columbus? Oh, don't mind about that. You see, I have spent a great deal of time in Europe during the past few years. It doesn't matter either how long I have known Mr. Rockefeller.

"I met Mr. Rockefeller here by the merest accident, and as I had a business matter that I wished to see him about I thought I would stop over for a day or two.

"Besides, I am very well acquainted in St. Louis and have an appointment to go out automobile riding this afternoon."

"Will you wait until Mr. Rockefeller returns from his busines trip to Southeast Missouri?" asked the reporter.

May Be Here on His Return.

"Certainly not. It may be that I shall be here when Mr. Rockefeller comes back, but if so that will another mere coincidence."

Mrs. Robinson was asked if she knew anything of Mr. Rockefeller's father, William A. Rockefeller, now dead, who masqueraded for 50 years as "Dr. Levingston."

"I do not," she answered. "No, I am not a stockholder in the Standard Oil Co., and I haven't the pleasure of knowing Mr. John D. Rockefeller or his brother, William.

"Mr. Frank Rockefeller has been my business adviser on several occasions and I trust his judgment implicitly.

"That is all there is to this whole matter."

Before Mr. Rockefeller left St. Louis he said he had no comments to make on the Post-Dispatch's story showing Dr. Levingston of Freeport and his father, Dr. William A. B. Rockefeller, were the same person.

ROOSEVELT PROBES CHARGES, SUSPENDS PUBLIC PRINTER

Government Official Accused by Union Labor Is Removed, Pending an Investigation.

PRESIDENT EXPLAINS IN A LETTER TO CONGRESS

Charges of Irregularities in Expenditures Were Made, and Unions Waged Long Fight on "Open Shop"—Chief Executive Declares the Disclosures "Important."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Suspended pending investigation: Charles Stillings, public printer.

Seven words tell the story of one of the most notable victories in the history of union labor, "behind the guns" in a determined warfare waged on a Government official, who, it has been charged, maintained an "open shop" and closed his eyes to irregularities which were considered so grave that the President took action only after he had received exhaustive reports from every person concerned in the investigation.

The President's order suspending Mr. Stillings was made public today. William S. Rossiter, chief clerk of the Census Bureau, was appointed temporarily to the place. Stillings is from Massachusetts and Rossiter is from New York.

The following correspondence relative to the change in the Government Printing Office was made public by the President, the first letter being addressed to Chairman Landis of the House Committee on Printing, signed by the President:

"The information you have given me this morning is so important that I deem it best that there should be a written record thereof.

"I had already begun some weeks ago an investigation into the Government Office under Mr. Stillings; this investigation originating because of information whic hreached me as to the increased cost of printing to the departments. I accordingly directed Mr. Havenor of the Department of Commerce and Labor to investigate and report upon this matter. His report on its face was severely condemnatory of Mr. Stillings. I furnished Mr. Stillings with a copy and requested an answer from him, which I have not yet received.

"I enclose you a copy of Mr. Havenner's report and as soon as I receive the answer I shall also forward that to you for your information and will let you know what action I have taken on the report.

"You now inform me that your committee has discovered circumstances in connection with the printing office, notably in connection with expenditures for furniture in the printing office and in the purchase of supplies, which makes you feel that there is great irregularity therein. You also inform me that you believe that the present audit system of the printing bureau serves to shield these irregularities and that the persons in charge of this system exert an undue and improper influence not merely on the purchase of supplies for the Government printing office, but in the management of the office itself.

"You also say that the subcommittee feels that it cannot make a satisfactory investigation of the office while Mr. Stillings is in charge of the audit system, and request that I suspend Mr. Stillings pending investigation and also suspend the execution of the contract made under the audit system.

"I have accordingly temporarily suspended Mr. Stillings and shall put Mr. Rossiter in his place, directing him to co-operate in every way with your committee, and furthermore, to make an exhaustive report to me on conditions in the office. Sincerely yours.

(Signed) "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

The letter from the President to Mr. Stillings reads:

"The enclosed copy of letters to Congressman Landis and Mr. Rossiter explain themselves. In accordance therewith, pending the investigation, I hereby temporarily suspend you from the duties of your office and have appointed Mr. William Rossiter temporarily to fill the duties thereof."

The letter to Mr. Rossiter reads:

"The enclosed copy of letter to Congressman Landis explains itself. In accordance therewith, you will assume immediate charge of the Government printing office. Please place yourself in communication with Congressman Landis and afford him every facility for obtaining the information he desires. You will also report to me in full as soon as practicable on the condition of affairs at the office as you have found them."

HORSE RUNS WILD IN CROWDED BROADWAY; POLICE ONLY GAPE

Maddened Animal Charges Through Throngs and Officers Stand Helpless.

When a runaway horse dashed through crowded downtown streets, endangering hundreds of lives, at 1:15 p. m. Wednesday, two policemen of the Broadway squad made no effort to stop him and two other policemen pursured him on a trolley car. The horse was attached to a delivery wagon.

At Olive street the crossing policeman held up his hand, but did not follow the example of several men who rushed into the street and tried to grab the bridle.

The policeman at Locust street raised his club, but the horse wouldn't stop for that.

At Washington avenue a westbound Page avenue car was in the hrse's path. The animal turned west. Policeman Schaeperkoetter jumped on the car and told the motorman to run at full speed. At Sixth street Policeman Meyer also boarded the car.

The horse turned south on Eighth street and the wagon overturned, checking the flight of the frenzied animal.

Black Hand Does $20,000 Damage.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Feb. 5.—Because Samuel Letsovic ignored letters demanding $2000 from members of the Black Hand Society, a dynamite bomb was exploded under his general store, near here, early today, wrecking the building and causing a loss of $20,000.

GYPSY KING ADAMS WILL OBEY THE LAW IF HE MAY DO AS HE PLEASES

County Authorities Send Petition to Congress Asking That Nomads Be Allowed to Settle Down.

Joe Adams must be good. Otherwise his title as King of the Gypsies will not be recognized by St. Louis County authorities.

An ultimatum to Joe has been drawn up and sent to Washington for the signatures of Missouri congressmen. So far none of them have signed it, but several statesmen who have seen it say it is a good thing—too good, they year, to win the sign and seal of the gypsy monarch.

Several days ago Joe Adams gave indication that he was inclined to become domestic. He wrote a letter to the county authorities, saying that he and his followers liked the county so well that they were inclined to settle there and make themselves at home in the territory where the Folk lid does not trouble and the thirsty are at rest.

Authorities put their heads together. T. S. Burnett Jr., a Clayton attorney, drew up the ultimatum to King Joe. Probate Judge Wurdeman, Prosecuting Attorney Johnston and Justices Werremeyer and Campbell signed it.

The document calls on King Joe to assist the officers in preserving the peace in his camp, to make the gypsies obey the law, to give up the custom of selling young girls into slavery, to marry their daughters according to American customs, to report their property for taxation and to send their children to the public schools.

The petition states that King Joe is willing to reform his people if he is given proper official recognition.

COMMISSION SEES ST. LOUIS AN OCEAN PORT

Deep Waterways Commission Reports on Transportation to President.

MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Cost of Living to Be Less When Country Is Network of Canals.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—St. Louis will be a port for ocean-going vessels if the report of the Inland Waterways Commission, which was submitted to President Roosevelt today, is adopted as the internal waterways improvement program of the National Government and is carried into effect.

Although the report will not be made public until it is transmitted by the President to Congress, the following may be stated as its cardinal recommendations:

First—The adoption of a national policy of waterways improvements, with the Mississippi River as its center and starting point.

Second—Conversion of the Mississippi into a canal, which, in connection with the Chicago canal, shall form a channel of 20 feet depth or more, sufficient for warships and ocean-going vessels.

Third—The deepening of tributary streams, of which the Missouri River is the most important, so that through barge service may be maintained between inland points as remote as Montana towns and ports along the gulf and Atlantic coasts.

Fourth—Control of the river fronts in cities and towns so that river shipments shall not be at the mercy of the railroads, which now in most places control the wharfs.

Fifth—Deepening and widening the Erie Canal and other canals which now traverse the states east of the Mississippi River.

Sixth—Making the development of the waterways as thorough and far-reaching as has been the development of the railroads and thereby cut down the cost of transportation.

Message to Congress.

President Roosevelt, it is expected, will send a message to Congress with the report arguing as he has already done in speeches that waterways improvement is the greatest undertaking before the nation and urging an early beginning.

Little or no action toward carrying out the recommendations of the report is expected until a new Congress is installed. The campaign of education which the waterways organizations have carried on has pledged most of the states to river improvements, and the next Congress, it is believed, will be composed of men pledged to waterways development.

The administration is already pledged to the movement. Special emphasis is laid on the adoption of a national program of work because the commission believes in this way the sectional jealousies will be eliminated as a barrier to work.

The deepening of the Mississippi will not end with the Chicago Canal, but will be continued as far north as St. Paul. This along with the construction of the ship canal to the great lakes is urged as the first task of the program.

The development of tributary streams is planned particularly to afford a cheap and quick means of carrying the produce of the interior states to the ocean and thus relieving the strain on the railroads.

Control of the river fronts is one of the biggest problems seen by the commission. In virtually every city along the Mississippi the railroads now own the wharves and goods can reach the steamboats only by their sufferance.

St. Louis Has Public Wharf.

St. Louis is an exception to this condition, in that it still has a small public wharf, although the Terminal Railroad Association and the Wiggins Ferry Co. own the greater part of the water front. In East St. Louis they own the entire wharfage.

The commission's report is accompanied by a great mass of statistics and scientific information on which the commission based its conclusions. There was, it is said, no dissent from the recommendations by any member.

SUCCESSOR NAMED FOR PRIEST WHO PUT LID ON ST. MARY'S

Father Collins, Mayor Declares, Was Too Much of Fighter to Suit Town.

The Rev. Michael D. Collins, the "fighting priest" of St. Mary's Mo., has been on a vacation since Dec. 20 and the residents of the village do not believe he will return. The action of Archbishop Glennon in appointing the Rev. Jeremiah Murphy, assistant at St. Bridget's Church, St. Louis, as temporary pastor at St. Mary's has strengthened their belief.

Father Collins is not popular with the residents of St. Mary's. He compelled the enforcement of the "lid" laws there. This action of the priest was widely advertised and the residents think the advertising was not calculated to do the village any good.

"We don't think Father Collins is coming back," said Mayor Jules Rozier. "There was too much thunder and lightning about him to suit us. He was too much of a 'scrapper,' too."

Father Collins is said to be spending his vacation in New York. He formerly lived in this State.

Not Wrong to Spit in Car Coal Hod.

"If you spit in a coal scuttle in a street car, it is no violation of the anti-expectoration ordinance," said Judge Pollard of the Dayton Street Police Court as he discharged Frank Day, [illegible]

MAIL COLLECTOR WHO CONFESSES TO THEFTS



W. WALTER WIPPO

POLICE BELIEVE MAIL COLLECTOR STOLE FOR GIRL

Letters Indicate Wippo Was Sending Presents to Missouri Town.

Walter Wippo, the mail collector, who has confessed to numerous thefts of money from boxes in the downtown district, is believed to have stolen in order to buy gifts for a girl. Letters and souvenir cards from the girl, who lives in a Missouri town, were found in Wippo's pocket. He has a wife and child.

One of the cards contains the inquiry: "When are you going to send my ring?" Acquaintances of Wippo have told Postoffice inspectors that he displayed a handsome diamond ring recently, saying it was for the girl.

The latest of the letters found was mailed in St. Louis, and was a leap year proposal in verse, demanding that if the proposal was rejected the writer should be given a silk dress or a box of candy.

The proposal is as follows:

LOVE'S COTTAGE,
Prospect street,
Farewell avenue.

"Your heart and hand I ask, not in jest,
But hoping you'll grant my fond request,
By sending me without delay
Your answer, yes or nay."

Wippo was caught through a decoy letter placed Tuesday in the box at Broadway and Olive street, containing a $2 bill and a silver half-dollar. He took the money to a pawn shop and redeemed his watch, and was arrested as he was leaving the shop. More than fifty complaints of losses of money placed in letters had been made. Wippo admitted numerous thefts, but refused to say how much money he had taken in all.

He is a bonded employe, and persons who can trace losses to his thefts will probably be able to recover their money by legal process.

He was released by United States Commissioner Mitchell on $500 bond, furnished by August W. Marx, and will be taken before the Federal grand jury.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE.
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. Used the world over to Cure a Cold in One Day. E. W. Grove's signature on box. 25c.

SON FINDS BURNED BODY OF FATHER STANDING IN WELL

Nebraska Homesteader Had Gone to Thaw Out Pipes With Rags.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Feb. 5.—I. W. Thomas, a homesteader living about eleven miles southwest of here, accidentally lost his life while trying to thaw pipes in a well.

In the morning he went to the well with a cloth saturated with kerosene. This he intended to light and throw in the well about the pipes. He did not return and his soon went to the well and found him standing upright in the shallow well with his head about even with the surface of the ground. His clothing and hair were burned and his body charred. A scar was found on his head.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

Niedringhaus Acts for Father.

Former Congressman F. G. Niedringhaus, now recuperating in the South from the effects of an attack of grip, has filed with the Recorder of Deeds a power of attorney, giving his son, Thomas K. Niedringhaus, full control of all his property. Thomas K. Niedringhaus said Wednesday that the act was a legal formality to enable business to be transacted without delay in his father's absence.

Rheumatism

The Cause and Cure

Uric Acid is introduced into the system by food and drink. Normally, the excessive amount of the acid should be excreted through the regular channels, but the amount that is retained and absorbed in the tissues is the cause of Rheumatic troubles.

The Rholoids treatment possesses that peculiar quality to form a soluble compound with the Uric Acid and in this form it is carried from the system. We want you to test Rholoids and upon receipt of your name and address we will mail a trial treatment. The Rholoids Company, Washington, D. C.

The regular full size treatment $1 is sold by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Sixth and Washington, and Johnson Bros. [illegible] and Franklin.

WOMAN ROBBED, GIRL ATTACKED; NEGROES ESCAPE

Mrs. Mary Hirtz Dragged Into Alley, Beaten and Choked.

CREECY SETS DRAGNET

Chief Orders Policemen to Capture Perpetrators, Dead or Alive.

Following the brutal assault and robbery by a negro Wednesday morning of Mrs. Mary Hirtz of 927 North Sixteenth street, and the assault by a negro Monday night on Miss Emma Schlassfleutgen of 3647 Juniata street, Chief of Police Creecy issued a general order to all police captains, lieutenants and detectives to capture the perpetrators dead or alive.

Chief Creecy declared that such dangerous characters must not be allowed to run at large, and that all the resources of the Police Department would be used to capture them.

Descriptions of the men have been telephoned to every policeman and detective in St. Louis.

Mrs. Hirtz, on her way to a bakery at 5:15 a. m. Wednesday, was attacked by a negro on Sixteenth street, between Franklin avenue and Wash street. She was dragged into an alley, choked, beaten, knocked down in the mud and water and robbed.

The negro first tore away her shirtwaist and then jerked a chamois bag, containing $17, from her neck. She fought him desperately, but she was no match for his superior strength, and he shut off her cries by choking her and covering her mouth with his hand.

The negro ran west in the alley and Mrs. Hirtz rose to her feet and began calling for help.

Men Go to Her Aid.

Two men were passing and went to her aid. They took her home and then notified the police.

Under the electric light Mrs. Hirtz got a good look at her assailant. She said she knew that he would rob her before he let her go, and she took advantage of every opportunity to look into his face. She described the negro as a mulatto, 5 feet 6 inches tall, wearing a light slouch hat and gray overcoat reaching the knees. He had a small mustache. Mrs. Hirtz says she could easily identify him if she saw him again.

Mrs. Hirtz is the wife of Nicholas Hirtz, a salesman. After being taken home she was almost overcome with nervousness and had to call a physician. She says she struggled with the negro for more than five minutes before he managed to get hold of the chamois bag containing the money. Mrs. Hirtz is in the habit of going to a nearby bakery every morning to get fresh bread. She thinks the negro knew that she passed there every morning and was waiting for her.

Girl Attacked in Alley.

Miss Schlassfluetgen was attacked at 8:15 p. m. Monday in an alley as she was starting for a drug store at Grand avenue and Arsenal street. The negro choked her and then attempted to bind her with rope to a telegraph pole. He was finally frightened away by her screams.

The girl was not able to give a good description of the negro, but said he was about 40 years old, strong and heavy.

UNWRITTEN LAW PLEA; 7 YEARS

Texas Jury Convicts Georgian Who Killed Because of Woman.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 5.—A jury today convicted Samuel Parham of murder in the second degree for killing James Williams, and fixed his punishment at seven years in the Penitentiary.

Parham tried to make his defense on the "unwritten law," but was weak.

He is an insurance agent from Atlanta, Ga., and killed James Williams last August, because of rivalry over a young woman.

LONDON HEARS STOESSEL IS SENTENCED TO EXECUTION

LONDON, Feb. 5.—A news agency report here says Gen. Stoessel has been sentenced to death for surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese.

His trial has been pending for weeks and the prosecutor, summing up the case, asked a capital sentence against him yesterday.

Livers Exchanged

IF the active liver of the cod-fish could be put into the place of the torpid liver of the consumptive it would probably do him a world of good. Next best thing is

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod Liver Oil. Almost as good as a new liver. The great power of SCOTT'S EMULSION as a flesh-producer proves that much of the activity of the cod's liver is contained in every spoonful.

All Druggists; 50c. and $1.00.

KILLS HIMSELF WITH POISON, HOME-MADE

Mushroom Grower Sends Note to Undertaker—Wife Not Warned.

Albert Walkusch, a grower of and dealer in mushrooms, killed himself at his home, 5658 Spalding avenue, early Wednesday morning by taking poison, supposed to be arsenic.

He gave his wife no intimation that he contemplated suicide. But a letter received Wednesday morning by Henry Alewel, an undertaker, 2002 Wash street, shows that he planned his self-destruction:

The letter reads:

"Dear Mr. Alewell: Illness and other reverses have made life a burden to me. Everything is lost. I wish my remains to be cremated. Please assist my poor wife in her trouble.

"ALBERT WALKUSCH."

Mr. Alewell, who knew Walkusch, has taken charge of the funeral. He says Walkusch formerly conducted a restaurant and that his loss of that business made him despondent. He also suffered from stomach trouble.

The police, who investigated the death, reported that Walkusch had been doctoring himself. They reported that Walkusch refused to send for a physician, although his wife wanted him to do so. He was 55 years old.

STEWART BLAMED BY DELEGATES IN THE RING CASE

Board Member's Methods Kept Woman From Asylum, Report Declares.

In regard to Mrs. Ring's death, the report states: "The fact that Mrs. Ring was ejected from the City Hospital and refused admittance to the City Insane Asylum did not cause her death. But the fact remains that the deplorable mental and physical condition of this woman, together with the poverty of her husband, made her a most worthy subject for the care and accommodations provided for our afflicted poor, the privilege of which, we have reason to believe, would have been extended but for the mode of examining the witnesses by A. C. Stewart, and the unwarranted interference of Policeman Joplin in excluding a necessary witness."

Delay Is Not Understood.

The report says the committee can see no reason why the buildings authorized by the bond issue are not now in course of construction. It emphasizes the need for amusement facilities at the Poorhouse and Insane Asylum. "Under present conditions," the report reads, "the inmates have no means of recreation in inclement weather but to crowd in the corridors and watch the sunlight trickle through the grated bars of the windows, awaiting the angel of death to release them from their lonely existence."

STUDENT, ROBBED OF SAVINGS, GOES TO FARM TO SAVE AGAIN

Thieves Blast Youth's Hopes of Ministry—Wife Cheers Him to New Effort.

LEBANON, Ill., Feb. 5.—Robbbed of between $750 and $1000, the savings of years, with which he had hoped to educate himself for the ministry at McKendrick College here, Charles M. Kerr, a young man, formerly a farm hand, bought tickets today to Ellen, Ill., for himself and his wife and child. Here he will again take up the work of a farm hand, laying by every penny he can until he shall again have saved enough money to return to college.

Kerr was afraid to trust the banks and kept his savings in an old trunk in his room. It was robbed two night ago, but he feared to tell his wife, whose whole heart is in seeing him a successful pastor. Finally he had only enough left to buy his railroad tickets and was forced to tell her.

"Never mind, Charles," she said, "it won't take us long to save up again and we'll go back to the farm work for a while."

DOCTORS FIGHT OVER PISTOL ENACTING M'DONALD TRAGEDY

Witnesses Struggle on Stand to Enlighten Jury in Gambler's Widow's Trial.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—A realistic representation of the shooting of Webster Guerin, according to the theory of the tragedy held by the defense, was enacted in the courtroom today in the trial of Mrs. Dora McDonald to prove that Guerin shot himself in the struggle over the revolver.

Dr. M. L. Harris, an expert in gunshot wounds, enacted the part of Guerin, and Dr. J. W. Hall, Mrs. McDonald's physician, filled the role said to have been enacted by his patient.

The two men struggled and posed on the witness stand for the better part of two hours during the direct and cross-examination.

Fire Damages Newspaper Office.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 5.—Fire which originated in the telegraph office of the Peoria Journal early today did considerable damage. The telegraph office, editorial rooms and H. M. Pindell's private office were gutted. The paper published its regular issues today. The German Democrat office, on the lower floor, was flooded with water.

BABY GIRL ASKS POST-DISPATCH TO FIND DOGGIE

Pet Poodle Strays Away and Owner Is Inconsolable in Grief.

Won't somebody please bring back little Viola Martin's pretty white poodle? It went and ran away from Viola's home at 4907 North Broadway and she can't find it anywhere.

Viola is only 4 years old and she had the little dog ever since she was a teeny weeny baby.

Topsy is the dog's name. It sits up and it used to have a cute high chair and sit at the table with Viola.

Since Topsy disappeared a week ago Viola has been ill from grief. She cries nearly all the time and she can hardly eat anything. Once before the Post-Dispatch helped Viola get her dog back when it was lost and she says:

"Won't you please do it again?"

Viola is such a good and pretty little girl that everybody in the neighborhood loves her and everybody is trying to help her find the dog.

The butcher and the barber and the dry goods man and lots of other folk with stores have put up notices in their windows asking anybody that has the dog to bring it back so Viola won't cry any more.

$400,000 Fire in Berlin N. H.

BERLIN, N. H., Feb. 5.—Two separate fires last night and today, which threatened the whole business section, caused an aggregate damage of $400,000. Firemen from Portland and Lewiston, Me., were summoned to help.

LITTLE GIRL WHO CRIES FOR LOST WHITE POODLE



VIOLA MARTIN

TENANTS REQUEST LANDLORDS TO CUT RENTS 20 PER CENT

Appeal Made on Ground That Many Tenement District Residents Are Out of Work.

The Low Rent Association has appointed committees to visit tenement district landlords and ask them to lower the rents 20 per cent. The committees are instructed to handle the matter carefully, as the organization cannot become militant on account of insufficient funds.

At the meeting held Tuesday night in the Progressive Club, 1524 Wash street, Chairman Silverstone was selected to direct the committee. He says the owners of houses are asked to lower rents because so many tenants are out of employment.

Police Seek Lost Boys.

The police are looking for two 13-year-old boys who they fear have either been kidnaped or fallen into the river. The boys are Corsic Sauer and Joseph Winowski, and they both live with their parents at 3408 North Ninth street.

SENATOR BEVERIDGE PLEADS FOR A TARIFF COMMISSION

He Would Have Experts Collect Facts for the Guidance of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana today addressed the Senate in advocacy of his bill for a tariff commission. He said in part:

"The tariff is fixed by facts; how to get at these facts is the first question in the whole tariff problem. Common sense and experience answer that question; we should create a body of experts to find out these facts for us. These men should be the fittest men that can be found for this work; they should give their whole time to this work and lay before us the result of their work.

"This bill seeks to create such a commission of experts to find out the facts upon which Congress builds a tariff and to make a classification of articles to which Congress can plainly and accurately fix customs duties.

"By this bill the commission itself is not allowed to fix duties or even to suggest any rate. The fixing of duties is left to Congress. The commission is kept strictly to the task of gathering facts and making clear classifications; the first is expert investigating work, the second expert clerical work. Neither is legislative work."

Funeral of Mrs. Witler.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Witler was held Wednesday from the residence, 319 South Compton avenue, where she has lived for the last 50 years. She was born in Beiderfeld, Germany, Feb. 7, 1836, and came to America in 1853. She died surrounded by 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Ask your grocer why the sales of
LIEBIG COMPANY'S
EXTRACT OF BEEF
exceed twenty million jars annually.
He'll tell you it's been for "forty years the first" and known the world over as the best and most economical for sickroom and kitchen.

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Laura Geitz, 16 years old, of 2008 Thomas street, died at the City Hospital at 10 p. m. last night from burns suffered Sunday morning. She returned at 1:30 a. m. from a ball, clad in an inflammable masquerade dress, which caught fire when she accidentally struck the chimney off an oil lamp.

"AT HOME WITH THE GRIP."

This is so general that in many offices and mercantile houses business is almost suspended. The epidemic may yet break the record of that of 1889, the worst in history. If you are drowsy, languid or low-spirited, if you have headache, backache, or are feverish, don't delay, take a dose of Hood's Pills to move your bowels and begin treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla, the foe to the grip germ in the blood, and the best appetizer, stomach tonic and strength-giver.

A Bad Attack.—"I had a bad attack of the grip. I got a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it saved me a big doctor's bill. Did me more good than any other medicine." Mrs. Alice Barr, Smyrna, Pa.

A Good Medicine.—"I was down with the grip and a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla brought me up and made me feel like a new woman. I recommend Hood's to all who want a good medicine." Durell Nurford, Clsmont, Va.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold everywhere. In the usual liquid, or in tablet form called Sarsatabs. One hundred doses one dollar.

Perfectly harmless and pleasurable
BLACKBURN'S
Castor-Oil-Pills
If not, your money back
10c and 25c.

The legitimate PAID circulation of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and its suburbs is greater than that of ALL other English Dailies COMBINED.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Tenth, Olive and Locust Streets

The Exposition and Sale of the Laced-Front Corsets L'Irresistible and Gossard will be continued Thursday. An expert fitter is in charge.
Second Floor.

Thursday—Second Day of Annual Sale
Jewelry, Fancy Leather Goods Toilet Articles and Supplies
Greatly Reduced for a Clearance

ONE of the most interesting sales of the year opened today. The great stretches of show cases are loaded with attractive, worthy, useful and decorative merchandise, all marked at prices that surprise at every turn.

Splendid assortments will be in readiness for your selection tomorrow.

Our Showing of Women's New Suits for Spring Is Most Complete.
There Are Silk Shirt-Waist and Tailored Cloth Suits
Third Floor.

English Voiles
THIS attractive Summer fabric is having its most comprehensive showing now. You will find an exceedingly wide range of colorings and designs; among them soft plaids, stripes, cross-barred effects, etc., all entirely new; 28 inches wide.
25c and 30c a yard

Scotch Ginghams
WE believe this to be an absolutely complete assortment of 1908 Ginghams. There are plain shades in all the best Spring colors; soft pastel plaids, Tartan plaids, stripes and checks in profusion; 28 and 31 inches wide.
25c and 30c a yard

Salesmen's Sample Razors
$1.50, $2.50, $3.50 to $4.50 Razors, All one price Thursday, each, 50c

EXACTLY seven hundred and twenty Razors for this sale, and they include more of the high-grade, dependable makes than we have ever offered in sample sales. Because of our low sale price some of the makers have insisted on obliterating the name of the razor.

Wade & Butcher—"IXL," made by George Woestenholm & Sons—Joseph Rodgers & Sons, Sheffield, England, are three of the makers represented.

All will be displayed on cases near Tenth Street entrance and the choice is 50c.

Other important features for the professional barber or self-shaver are:

Williams' Barbers' Shaving Soap; the usual 10c cake for 5c
Colgate Shaving Soap, 5c cake; 3 for 10c
Super Cream Shaving Soap; special price, 2 for 5c
Razor Strops—A thoroughly complete assortment of the most reliable Strops made; swing or cushion style. Prices 50c, 75c and $1.00
Honette—A remarkable composition, which when applied to the strop saves the necessity of honing; by its use the edge is kept in perfect condition; the package 25c
Shaving Brushes—An incomparable assortment of genuine bristle and badger hair Brushes. If the Brushes shed, crack, split or fall apart, we will replace. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and up to $6.00

A Group of Jumper Suits for Women—Reduced to $17.50

THERE are both Taffeta Silk and French Broadcloth Suits in this special lot for Thursday. The Broadcloth Suits are trimmed with silk plaitings and tailored stitchings; navy blue, purple, black are the colors.

The Taffeta Silk Suits are in attractive black and white checks. $27.50 to $35.00 values, now $17.50

A full assortment of **New Silk Waists**
Third Floor.

At $5.00—Taffeta Silk Waists; tailored and in black only; long sleeves, narrow cuffs and new high collar.

Another Taffeta Waist, trimmed with small covered buttons and soutache braid; in navy, brown, gray and black, at $5.75

At $8.00—Taffeta Silk Waists; front opening; tailored with covered buttons; navy, gray, brown or black.

At $5.00—Taffeta and Foulard Silk Waists, with linen collar, long sleeves; striped and polka dot effects; also in plain colors; gray, brown, navy, Copenhagen blue, tan or black.

At $9.00—Tailor-Made Pongee Silk Waists, trimmed with small brass buttons.

At $12.50—Fancy Plaid Silk Waist with yoke of Val. front and back; trimmed with taffeta bands and small buttons.

At $6.50—One of the exceptional values in Taffeta Silk Waists; has high collar, long sleeves; colors navy, gray, brown or black.

Important values in **White Waists**
Third Floor.

At $1.00—A great assortment of crisp, new White Lawn Waists; three distinct styles, and each regularly priced at $1.25. They are all variously tucked, trimmed with filet lace, and have three-quarter sleeves

Other Lawn and Batiste Waists at $1.50 and $1.85; worth $2.00 to $2.25.

At $2.00—Regular $2.45 and $2.50 Waists; some of lawn, some of batiste; most of them tucked back and front; all trimmed with lace or embroidery; charming styles.

Others at $2.50 and $2.75, worth up to $3.50.

At $3.00—Some fine Batiste and cross-barred Muslin Waists, regularly valued at $3.75. The Batiste Waist has figured Swiss yoke, star shape, filet Val. trimming and filet insertions. The Muslin Waists have tucked yoke; cluster tucks in back; cuffs and collar tucked and lace trimmed.

At $4.00—Fine Dotted Swiss Waist with tucked yoke back and front. Entire Waist put together with Cluny; three-quarter sleeves. A fine $5.00 value.

Other Attractive Specials in our **Basement Salesroom**

THESE are of seasonable, as well as of money-saving interest.

Carriage Heaters; all that remain; formerly $2.50; reduced to $1.50

Snow Shovels that may be needed any morning. Prices 35c, 40c and $1.00

Sidewalk Scrapers and Ice Cutters, each 35c

Lot of Sleds; many different prices; handled from showing; now reduced to half-price; 70c Sleds are 35c

Ice Creepers, the pair, 25c and 30c

Important Clearance of Fireplace Articles
Andirons—Fire Sets—Fenders—Wood Boxes, Etc.

USEFUL, as well as ornamental, these different brass and copper articles add a fine touch of comfort and completeness to the room. The savings indicated below are quite unusual, and must find appreciation with those interested in additions to the home beautiful.

Black Andirons
Were $16.00, $19.25, $20.00
Now $12.00, $14.44, $15.00

Brass Fenders
Were $10.00, $14.50, $28.75
Now $7.50, $10.88, $21.56

Brass Fire Screens
All four-fold
Were $10.00, $14.25, $17.75
Now $7.50, $10.69, $13.31

Brass Coal Hods
Formerly $9.00
Now reduced to $6.75

Copper Coal Boxes
Were $10.00, $16.50, $25.00
Now $7.50, $12.33, $18.75

Brass Andiron Sets
Formerly $19.00, $23.00, $26.75, $42.50, $45.00
Reduced to $14.25, $17.50, $20.06, $31.88, $33.75

Brass Fire Sets
Consisting of tongs, shovel, poker and stand for same.
Formerly $10.00, $16.00, $18.00, $19.00, $21.75
Reduced to $7.50, $12.00, $13.50, $14.25, $16.30

Artistic Brass and Hand-Carved Bellows
Formerly $1.00, $2.50, $4.00, $8.50, $12.00
Reduced to 68c, $1.67, $2.67, $5.67, $8.00

For this sale we have also reduced all Japanese Dinner Gongs
Formerly $1.00, $1.75, $3.50, $5.25, $6.00
Reduced to 50c, 88c, $1.75, $2.63, $3.00

Driftwood Gas Logs
Sixteen-inch $8.50 Log reduced to $6.37
Twenty-inch $10.00 Log reduced to $7.50
Twenty-four-inch $12.00 Log reduced to $9.00
An additional charge is made for connections.

Hearth Brushes
An assortment of Brushes worth up to $2.00, will be closed out at, each 75c

SLEET AND ICE ENDANGER LIVES AS CITY SLEEPS

Men Work on Slippery Poles Repairing Fire-Shooting Wires.

PEDESTRIANS GET FALLS

Telephone, Telegraph and Trolley Service Is Temporarily Impaired.

St. Louis, for a time Wednesday, was just a big slippery spot on the map, cut off from all communication with the outside world by a sleetstorm which crippled telegraph, telephone, electric light, railroad and trolley car service.

The coldest weather of the year prevailed in the Atlantic Coast states. Ballston, N. Y., reported that the thermometer there registered 45 degrees below zero during the night. At Loon Lake, near the Canadian border, it was 43 below and at Utica, N. Y., 22 below.

There was a sleet storm in Chicago, where conditions were much the same as in St. Louis. Throughout the Central West there was rain, snow or sleet and transportation and wire communication were greatly hampered. Illinois was a particularly heavy sufferer.

Ice on the wires is the bane of the electrician's life. When he sees the little round pellets failing he knows that he will have a hard fight against odds to keep his lines open.

Hundreds Risk Lives.

So while St. Louis slept early Wednesday, hundreds of men were working like beavers all over town, many of them risking their lives so that the life of the city—its commerce—might be saved.

Linemen were climbing ice-covered poles and hanging on to slippery crossarms high above the sidewalk. "Troublemen" of the street car companies were literally playing with fire which flashed and sizzled on wires carrying enough current to kill a thousand men.

Employes of the City Lighting Department tramped the streets all night looking for broken wires which might endanger toilers at going-to-work time.

Motormen Face Sleet.

Motormen faced the storm of sleet which cut their faces. The ice formed on the vestibule windows so quickly and so heavy that it was necessary to lower them so that the men at the controllers could see the track ahead.

Both the Bell and Kinloch telephone companies had large forces of men out testing wires and doing what they could to prevent instruments from being burned out.

With all of these precautions there were many cases where the telephone wires, sagging with the weight of the ice on them, came in contact with high tension light and trolley wires. The result was that many subscribers found their instruments out of order when they awoke Wednesday morning.

Alarm System Crippled.

For five hours the police and fire alarm telegraph system operated by the city was seriously crippled and attaches of the office were nervous lest a defect in the wires might prevent the sounding of an alarm. But there was no big fire and the danger had passed at 7 a. m., when all of the wires were reported in good order.

On all of the lines of the United Railways Co. sleet cutters were fastened to the trolley poles of cars and the wires were cleared of ice within an hour after the fall of sleet ceased.

"Handsome Is as Handsome Does"

That's where Monarch Laundry wins, on shirts and collars. Famous flexible finish. Both phones.

TORPEDO FLEET JOINS WARSHIPS

Six Destroyers Arrive at Punta Arenas in Good Condition.

PUNTA ARENAS, Chile, Feb. 5.—The six American torpedo boat destroyers arrived at this port to join the battleship fleet yesterday afternoon.

They will coal here and proceed through the Straits into the Pacific with the battleships. The boats are in the best of shape after their long trip and all on board are well.

The Victim of Drink

Needs Orrine Treatment

Drink first destroys ambition; breaks up ties of friendship; it kills and buries love and eventually destroys the family life.

Some of the best men in the world have been victims of drink and if there is not some member in your family that is afflicted with this disease you are indeed fortunate.

Drink cunningly destroys the will power, and while the drunkard wants to do what you tell him, he wants a thousand times more the drink that he craves. Medical treatment is necessary to destroy the craving, and this Orrine will do.

It destroys the desire for liquor, so that the drink will not be missed, also cures the deranged digestion, weakened nerves and other ill effects of excessive drinking, restoring the patient to perfect health.

The remedy is absolutely harmless, is thoroughly scientific and is so uniformly successful that it is sold with a registered guarantee entitling you to a refund of your money if Orrine fails to effect a cure. Treatise on "How to Cure Drunkenness," free on request, in plain sealed wrapper. The Orrine Co., Washington, D. C.

Orrine is in two forms, No. 1 which can be given secretly without the patient's knowledge; No. 2 in pill form for those who wish to be cured. The price of either is $1, mailed on receipt of price in plain sealed package, and both are sold under the guarantee.

Orrine is for sale by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co.

GETS DIVORCE WHILE HUSBAND SUES HER FRIEND

Mrs. Taylor, Whose Affections Were Valued at $20,000, Obtains Decree.

While the suit of William E. Taylor against Thomas I. Cash for $20,000 for the alienation of Mrs. Taylor's affections is still pending in the Circuit Court here, Mrs. Taylor has obtained a divorce on grounds of cruelty and infidelity. The decree was granted by Judge Lewis at St. Paul Tuesday.

Taylor is department manager in a downtown St. Louis store, but formerly lived in Minneapolis. Cash is the head of an amusement company which books vaudeville and carnival attractions.

Was a Noted Choir Singer.

Mrs. Taylor, who is 29 years old, before her marriage seven years ago was Miss Mae Hilma Lindberg of Minneapolis and was noted as a church choir singer.

Taylor first filed suit against Cash in Minneapolis, but withdrew it and came here with his wife. She remained here six weeks and returned to Minneapolis. Soon after this Taylor filed his alienation suit here.

In October, learning that Cash was in St. Louis, Taylor met him, greeted him as a friend, invited him to stay overnight at his home and bought theater tickets for him. While Cash was at the play Taylor had the papers in the suit served on him.

He said that he planned this and that it was with great difficulty that he concealed his feelings against Cash while he was making a pretense of friendship in order to obtain service.

Wanted to Kill Him.

He said that on a previous occasion he had "a try" at killing Cash.

Recently depositions in support of Taylor's case were filed in the St. Louis Circuit Court. Among other things he said that women had been employed to "lure" him so as to injure his reputation and make it appear that he was not a good husband.

JUDGE TO FORCE WOMEN TO PROSECUTE CHAUFFEUR

Attachments Issued When Misses Beyern and Block Fail to Appear in Court.

Attachments for Waldress Beyern and Clara Tendall Block, young women who accused Nelson Constance, a chauffeur, of disturbing their peace, were issued by Judge Tracy of the City Hall Police Court Wednesday after they had failed to appear to prosecute.

Miss Beyern was in court when the case was called, but Miss Block was not. At the request of Miss Beyern the case was passed to await Miss Block's coming. At the second calling it was found that Miss Beyern had left the courtroom.

Judge Tracy refused to permit dismissal for want of prosecution. Characterizing the absence of the young women as "contemptuous," he continued the case to Friday.

ECONOMY NEEDED, SAYS PLAYER

Comptroller's Estimate of Requirements Is $1,043,000.

Economy in expenditures or a higher rate of taxation is the alternative which Comptroller Player offers the city in his quarterly report to the Municipal Assembly.

The Comptroller's estimate of municipal requirements for the remainder of the current fiscal year is $1,043,000. His best hopes are that collections from all sources between this date and April 14, the end of the fiscal year, will not exceed $1,300,000. This care in husbanding the city's finances must extend also into the new year, Mr. Player declares. His explanation is that the increase in the total assessed valuation of real and personal property, from which a large share of the revenues are to be derived, will be only about $15,000,000. This will yield about $325,000.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething softens the gums and allays all inflammation.

SHOOTS 4 TIMES TO HIT SELF

Machinist, Out of Practice, Doesn't Know Why He Shot at All.

William Gillie, 21 years old, a machinist, shot himself four times in his room at 1203 Chambers street, Tuesday night, but he was out of practice and only hit himself once, inflicting a slight scalp wound.

He is in the observation ward at the City Hospital. He says that for the life of him he can't think why he tried to kill himself.

Choral Art Society to Sing.

The St. Louis Choral Art Society will give the Dvorak interpretation of Rossini's "Stabat Mater" at the Lindell Avenue M. E. Church Thursday evening, Feb. 6, under the direction of James T. Quarles. A chorus of 65 voices and a quartet of some of the best musical talent have been trained for the rendition. The soloists will be Mrs. Georgia Lee Cunningham, Mrs. Max Kaufman, Edward Barrows and Gwilym Miles. Charles Galloway will be the organist and a full orchestra will accompany the chorus.

Altenheim Society Elects Directors.

Seven new directors were elected at a meeting of the St. Louis Altenheim Society at the Liederkrang Club, Grand and Magnolia avenues, Tuesday evening. They were: William Homann, August Klasing, Hermann Morell, Dr. Hugo Rothstein, Robert Lungstras, Chas. H. Stoffregen and Louis Schaefer.

Pahlman Funeral Thursday.

The funeral of William E. Pahlman, 61 years old, who died of heart failure Tuesday, while sitting in the office of his livery stable at 2953 Easton avenue, will be held Thursday from the Spelbrink undertaking parlors, 1327 Franklin avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery.

Improvement Association Meets.

At a meeting of the Twenty-seventh Ward Improvement Association, at Haupt's Hall, Union boulevard and Easton avenue, Tuesday evening, Samuel L. Wimer was elected chairman of a committee which is to canvass the ward for members. The association adopted new by-laws.

100 YOUNG WOMEN WANT TO BE QUEEN OF THE BALL

Admirers Will Be Allowed to Buy Votes at the Hibernian Band's Election.



MISS B. RAFTERY



MISS H. MAHONEY

At the ball to be given by the National Hibernian Band at Hibernian Hall, 3619 Finney avenue, Wednesday night, nearly 100 young women will contest for the honor of being crowned "Queen."

Each person attending will be permitted to buy as many votes as he cares to purchase and cast them for his favorite candidate. The young woman who receives the highest number of votes will be crowned by former City Registrar P. R. Fitzgibbon.

Friends of several of the young women are claiming that canvasses so far made show that they have the best chance to win. Two of the popular candidates are Miss B. Raftery and Miss H. Mahoney.

The Wrong Way.

Many Physicians Try to Cure Dyspepsia by Having Their Patients Starve Out the Disease.

This Method May Ruin the Stomach.

To become a physician one must study medical literature for a long time and attend several years at a medical college, dissect at least one human body, pass many quizzes and examinations, and at last receive his diploma, which entitles him to the M. D. degree.

Yet all this does not necessarily make a doctor.

We have known many graduates, with their sheepskins, who could not apply the knowledge they had acquired to relieving and curing a patient of dyspepsia.

They were floored by their first attempt to cure such a patient.

They were not to blame for this, for all the knowledge they acquired from medical works was wholly experimental They were told to try the following:

Aromatic Ammonia.
Bicarbonate of Soda.
Bicarbonate of Potash.
Blue Mass.
Camphor Water.
Catechu.
Charcoal.
Creosote.
Hot Water.
Lime Water.
Magnesia.
Mineral Waters.
Nitric Acid.
Nitro-Muriatic Acid.
Nux Vomica.
Oil of Amber.
Oil of Cajuput.
Rhubarb.
Senna.
Spirits of Lavender.
Starvation.
Strychnia.
Sulphur.
Sulphite of Lime.
Tincture Cardamon.
Taraxacum.
Tincture Ginger.
Tincture of Iron.
Tonics.
Vegetable Bitters.

In the list hot water is the only remedy that will not do more harm than good, and its use is still an unsolved problem.

If the professor who coaches the graduate would hand him a package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and tell him that it was a specific for dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach ailments, and should be his mainstay in such cases, that one grain of their active principle would digest 3,000 grains of food in the stomach, and that aided by this remedy the stomach would soon regain its normal condition, he would do the student more good than sending him forth with a lot of uncertain knowledge about the cure of these diseased conditions.

The young doctor would gain a reputation by curing his first case of dyspepsia.

The patient cured would sound his praises far and near, as do thousands upon thousands who praise Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Instead of experimenting with the mess of medicine in the above list, and doing his patients more harm than good, he would always be gaining reputation by always curing his patient.

When he met any indication of a diseased organ, he should discover what hundreds of other doctors have, that the whole trouble started with imperfect digestion and assimilation, then take out of his pocket medicine case a few of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and tell the patient how to use them.

The result would be considered by the patient almost miraculous, and success after success would be achieved by him.

Many blood diseases, skin eruptions and heart troubles yield readily to Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they cure the incubating cause—dyspepsia. If the stomach is wrong, you are wrong all over.

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NEGRO COAL MEN FINED $500

Brothers Attempted to Swindle Woman by Changing Ticket.

Guy Monroe and his brother, John Monroe, negroes, coal dealers at 3915 Finney avenue, were fined $500 each by Judge Pollard in the Dayton Street Court for changing bonded weigher's coal certificate.

Testimony heard Tuesday showed that J. W. Heinrich, a bonded weigher, weighed a load of coal for them and marked the ticket 39 bushels. They changed it to 50 and attempted to make Mrs. Mary Shea of 4034 Cook avenue, to whom they sold the coal, pay for 50 bushels.

She noticed the alteration on the ticket and called Policeman Levelsmeier, who arrested the Munroe brothers.

COLLAPSES WATCHING PLAY DEPICTING SOLDIER FATHER

Capt. William Forrest, Son of Confederate Leader, Topples From Chair in Memphis Theater —Has a Son in St. Louis.

St. Louis friends of Capt. William Forrest, an ex-Confederate soldier, were startled Wednesday when they heard he had been stricken Tuesday night in Memphis with paralysis, in the Lyceum Theater, where he was witnessing a performance of "The Clansman," in which there is a character representing his father, the late Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest, the famous Confederate cavalry leader.

Son Student in St. Louis.

Capt. Forrest has a son in St. Louis and another in Washington. The St. Louis son is said to be a student.

Capt. Forrest, with a party of Southern friends, was occupying a box. Those with him say that he became intensely interested in the play and that he was evidently greatly stirred by the incidents depicted on the stage.

The curtain had been up but for a few minutes for the second act, when in rode the "Chief of the Ku. Klux Klan." The actor was made to resemble Capt. Forrest's father.

Topples From His Chair.

Capt. Forrest was seen to start, lean forward, and then suddenly topple from his chair. His friends carried him out and the audience was so interested in the mimic tragedy on the stage that few of them knew that a tragedy in real life had just been enacted in the box.

Capt. Forrest was taken to his hotel and physicians were summoned. The physicians say his condition is critical.

Mrs. William Forrest, who has been visiting in St. Louis and stopping at 3620 Washington boulevard, departed for Memphis Wednesday morning on receiving a telegram saying that her husband had a second stroke.

DELEGATE SEEKS TO PREVENT BUILDING OF GRADE CROSSINGS

Bill Introduced to Make Special Ordinance Necessary for Construction Work.

Delegate Dwight Davis introduced a bill in the House of Delegates Tuesday night designed to prevent the construction of steam railroad crossings in the future. It stipulates that no grade crossings shall be constructed unless permission therefor is specifically given by ordinance.

At present any steam railroad that obtains a franchise to cross specified streets may do so on grade unless specifically prohibited from so doing.

The ordinance is designed merely to prevent future increases in the number of grade crossings. It has no reference to existing grade crossings.

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Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $22.50; OUR PRICE $12.50
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $25.00; OUR PRICE $13.95
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $28.00; OUR PRICE $15.00
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $30.00; OUR PRICE $17.50
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $35.00; OUR PRICE $19.75
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $40.00; OUR PRICE $22.50
Stein-Bloch Suits; Salveter & Stewart price $45.00; OUR PRICE $25.00
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Stein-Bloch Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $17.50; OUR PRICE $10.00
Stein-Bloch Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $25.00; OUR PRICE $15.00
Stein-Bloch Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $30.00; OUR PRICE $17.50
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Stein-Bloch Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $50.00; OUR PRICE $28.00

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Men's Spring Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $10.00; OUR PRICE $5.00
Men's Spring Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $15.00; OUR PRICE $7.50
Stein-Bloch Spring Overcoats; Salveter & Stewart price $20.00; OUR PRICE $12.00
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Men's Trousers; Salveter & Stewart price $10.00; OUR PRICE $6.00

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$5.00 Boys' Suits; OUR PRICE $2.75
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$7.50 Boys' Suits; OUR PRICE $4.95
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$9.00 Boys' Suits; OUR PRICE $5.95
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$12.00 and $15.00 Boys' Suits...OUR PRICE $7.50

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Eclipse Shirts; Salveter & Stewart price $1.50; OUR PRICE 89c
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Boys' Overcoats.

$6.00 Boys' Overcoats; OUR PRICE $2.75
$6.95 Boys' Overcoats; OUR PRICE $3.55
$8.50 Boys' Overcoats; OUR PRICE $4.95

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Men's Fancy Vests

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Men's Fancy Vests; Salveter & Stewart price $2.00; OUR PRICE $1.00
Men's Fancy Vests; Salveter & Stewart price $2.50; OUR PRICE $1.25
Men's Fancy Vests; Salveter & Stewart price $3.00; OUR PRICE $1.50
Men's Fancy Vests; Salveter & Stewart price $3.50; OUR PRICE $1.75
Men's Fancy Vests; Salveter & Stewart price $4.00; OUR PRICE $2.00
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Salveter & Stewart's $3.00 and $3.50 Umbrellas; OUR PRICE $1.85
Salveter & Stewart's $4.00 and $5.00 Umbrellas; OUR PRICE $2.75
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Slow eating will solve one-half the problem of ill health. Those who suffer already with indigestion and weak stomach can with care and the use of Mi-o-na stomach tablets restore their digestion to a healthy condition, so that they can eat what they want at any time without fear of distress or suffering.

After a few days' use of Mi-o-na stomach tablets, the headache, dizzy feeling, drowsiness, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, nervousness, sleeplessness, distress after eating—all these symptoms of a weak stomach—will disappear, and perfect digestion and a good skin will show that the vital machinery is once more running smoothly.

Take a little Mi-o-na tablet before each meal so that it will stimulate the digestive juices and give strength to the stomach, and then it will take care of the food that is eaten, without indigestion and the unpleasant full feeling with which so many suffer after meals.

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WATCH YOUR TONGUE

If Furred and Coated It Is a Warning of Trouble to Come.

When it is the morning after the night before, you do not have to look at your tongue to know that the stomach is upset, the head is aching with a dull rhythm, and that all the world looks black and dreary.

It may have been lobster Newburgh, Welsh rarebit or some other tasty dish that looked much better at night than the morning after. There is no need to look at the tongue thermometer then for symptoms of trouble. You naturally go to your box of Mi-o-na stomach tablets, and with one of the little relievers bring joy and gladness to the physical system.

The real time to watch the tongue is all of the time. If it is coated with a white fur, or possibly with dark trimmings, even though the stomach does not tell you by the acute pains of indigestion that it needs help, yet the coating shows that you are getting into a bad way and that there is need of Mi-o-na.

Used at the first symptom of a coated tongue, distress after eating, headaches, dull and lifeless feeling, flatulence, or any other of the early symptoms of indigestion, Mi-o-na will strengthen the stomach muscles so that they will take care of all the food that is eaten without the slightest pain or discomfort. It will increase the flow of gastric juice so that the food digests as nature intended it should, extracting the nourishment and strength and expelling the waste from the system without further aid.

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FLEXNER SERUM FAILS TO SAVE LIFE OF WOMAN

Mrs. Ellison Succumbs in City Hospital to Spinal Meningitis.

HER BABY IS ISOLATED

Physicians and Nurses Think Thriving Child Has Passed Danger.

All the millions that John D. Rockefeller has contributed to the advancement of medical science did not avail to save the life of Baby Ellison's mother, Mrs. Alice Ellison, who died in the City Hospital Wednesday morning after being treated for weeks for spinal meningitis with Dr. Simon Flexner's anti-toxin.

Baby Ellison was born five days after her mother was taken to the hospital to be treated for the disease, which, in 90 per cent of cases, is fatal. The physicians telegraphed to New York for the Flexner serum, and it arrived a day or two later. Mrs. Ellison showed immediate improvement after the first injection of the antitoxin into her blood, but the relief was only temporary. During the last few days she had been growing weaker, and Wednesday morning, shortly after daylight, the end came.

Baby Is Isolated.

Baby Ellison was cooing in her crib in an isolation ward. Her mother was almost at the point of death when the baby was ushered into the world, and the physicians, fearing pre-natal influence, had her removed to another ward and took every precaution to see that she did not become infected with the disease which afflicted her mother.

Under the watchful eye of physicians and nurses the baby is thriving, and has not showed the slightest sign of infection. The doctors think the danger period is past, and that it will be entirely safe to remove her from the hospital as soon as the father can find a home for her.

The baby has become the pet of the physicians and nurses and they will regret to give up their ward.

Used Here First Time.

John D. Rockefeller furnished the money which enabled Dr. Flexner, a widely known Eastern physician, to spend years in research work trying to discover an anti-toxin for spinal meningitis. Dr. Flexner recently announced to the medical world that he had perfected the anti-toxin, and that it had been used successfully on many patients in the Johns Hopkins University, in which he formerly was an instructor.

Mrs. Ellison was the only patient ever treated in St. Louis with the new serum. She was weak when she was received at the hospital, and her condition, followed by the birth of her child, made it impossible to treat her successfully.

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"RIGOLETTO" PLEASES AUDIENCE

Improved Performance by Italian Company at Garrick.

"Rigoletto" was the offering of the Italian Grand Opera Co. at the Garrick last night and the performance showed a marked improvement over that of "Carmen" on Monday evening.

Sig. Alessandroni in the title role, Mme. Norelli as Gilda, and Sig. Torre as the Duke, seemed to make a favorable impression on the audience. They were frequently recalled and several of the opera's more important numbers in which they were the principals had to be repeated in response to prolonged applause.

The minor role of Sparafucile, taken by Sig. Bozzano, and of Maddalena, by Mlle. Colombatti, were sung in a manner that made the last act especially satisfactory and the work of the chorus and orchestra was more competent than in the "Carmen" score. In this act, also, Sig. Torre most strongly commended himself to the house's favor.

"Il Trovatore," with Mme. Norelli as Eleanore, Sig. Samilov as Maerico, Mlle. Strauss as Azucena and Sig. Zara as the Count di Luna, is the bill for this evening.

Adds to General Joy

Elijah's Manna

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WOMAN, WHO, ALLEGING INSULT, KNOCKED MAN DOWN IN THEATER



MRS. EMMA SCHNEIDER

MRS. EMMA M. SCHNEIDER.

WOMAN FELLS A MAN IN THEATER BEFORE CROWD

Piano Player, Resenting Alleged Insult, Strikes Employe Repeatedly.

Because Charles Kimble, an employe at the Star Nickelodeon on Market street, sought refuge among half a dozen friends, one of whom held an open knife in his hand, Mrs. Emma Myrle Schneider, a broad-shouldered young woman of 20, forbade her husband to resent an insult which, she alleges, Kimble offered her. Instead, she sallied into the crowd and, doubling a pair of diminutive fists, made Kimble's head rock under alternative right and left jabs. Then she knocked him to the floor of the theater. Policeman Lindsay of the Central District prevented her from following up the victory.

Causes His Arrest.

Mrs. Schneider caused Kimble's arrest, and appeared against him Wednesday morning in Judge Tracy's court, where the case was continued to Thursday. She in the nickelodeon, and lives with her husband, William Schneider, a grocery clerk, at 102A North Twelfth street.

"Kimble had annoyed me with his attentions ever since I began working at the Star a month ago," said Mrs. Schneider to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "He would hang around the piano, and one day, when he talked about my husband, I slapped him. Sunday night, when I went to East St. Louis with the company, he wanted to buy my supper, and I had to repulse him to keep him from sitting in the same seat with me coming home.

"I guess this made him angry, for at 5 o'clock last evening, when I was leaving the theater, having resigned on his account, he stopped me and called me names, and grabbed my umbrella. My husband was standing on the corner, and I called him. He took the umbrella away from Kimble, but his friends all came to his assistance. With them backing him, he called me more names. I was afraid my husband would be cut, so I decided to take my own part."

Kimble denies insulting Mrs. Schneider, but admits accosting her.

Nothing Equals "Crosby's Best" Flour. (Sunflower brand.) Sold by all first-class grocers

IN SHERLOCK HOLMES' CLOTHES

Porter in Belleville Theater Arrested by Real Detective.

Richard Wiley, a negro, is in the East St. Louis Police Station wearing most of the clothing used by the hero detective in the production of "Sherlock Holmes," billed to be played at the Lyric Theater, Belleville, Wednesday night. If Sherlock Holmes displays his astuteness for the audience tonight he will probably wear borrowed clothing, star and revolver.

Wiley acquired a longing for the flashy clothes while working as a porter at the theater. Monday night, during the play "A Woman's Confession," he raided the "Sherlock Holmes" wardrobe and fitted himself out in the modern togs. He fled to East St. Louis, and a real Sherlock Holmes was on his trail. Tuesday night while he flashed his star and proudly exhibited the revolver that accompanied the clothes he was arrested. He made "A Man's Confession."

YOUTH WEDS HIS STEPMOTHER

Marriage Takes Place Soon After Return From Father's Funeral.

DES MOINES, Io., Feb. 5.—Arthur Grieveldinger, aged 23, married his stepmother, aged 45, in Omaha, following soon after the burial of the father and husband in this city three weeks ago. The stepmother and son were holding neighboring claims in Colorado, but returned here to attend the funeral of the elder man.

A few days later the father's grocery and other property were converted into cash and then came the wedding.

S-SH-SH! POLICE MAKE DARING NIGHT RAID ON— ROBBERS? NO! RAY OF LIGHT

Glint of Safe Combination Due to Flashing of Switchman's Lantern Excites Factory District.

Tuesday night would have been exceedingly dull in Central District but for the fact that Night Chief of Police Gillaspy received a telephone message at 1:30 a. m., setting forth that safeblowers were at work in the office of the Eau Claire Lumber Co., Twelfth and Gratiot streets.

"They're still in there," said an excited night watchman. "I can see the rays of their dark lantern moving about."

A patrol wagon was loaded with police and hurried to the scene. Sergeant Shaw, Patrolmen Ulrich, Schnarr and others surrounded the office. They found all the doors and windows locked.

Shaw, Ulrich and Schnarr mounted a ladder to the top of the building, a one-story structure. They tried to crawl through the brick chimney, but after knocking it to pieces gave up the idea. Then they decided to chop their way through the roof and called for axes.

While excitement was at its height a switchman in the railroad yards back of the lumber office swung his lantern. The rays fell upon the combination of the company's safe.

"There they are," whispered the police.

"Oh," said Shaw, "it's only a switchman."

CONRAD'S

Come in tomorrow if you want to save money on your Cigars. We're selling Cigars at about half-price, and you do not have to pay 10 cents for 10-centers any more. Take your choice of

150,000 10c CIGARS

And buy as many as your pocketbook will stand, or you can smoke or give your friends, at the ridiculously low price of..... 6c

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Special! We are selling 5c Cigars at 3 for 10c.

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WE will dispose of all broken lines of Men's Fancy Shirts in Plaited, Starch and Negligee bosoms; $1.50, and a few $2.00 qualities—

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Remember, these shirts will not last over a few days, so come in and make a selection before we are out of your size.

See our window display of B. K. & Co.'s Special Cape Kid Glove at 95c.

Broadway and Pine Street — B&K — SAINT LOUIS, MO.

You in-door people—women or men—Cascarets are for you. They do what exercise does—what out-door life and coarse foods do—for the bowels.

Your food, when digested, is sucked into the blood through myriads of ducts in the bowels.

When the bowels are clogged, the refuse is stopped. It decays.

Decay generates poisons. Then those myriad ducts suck the poisons into the blood.

More than half the ills that we suffer come in just that way.

The remedy is to clean out the bowels.

Not in a harsh way—not with salts, castor oil or cathartics. But in a gentle and natural way—with Cascarets.

But this way is better yet:

Don't wait till the bowels are clogged. Keep them active. Take one Cascaret the minute you need it. Carry a box in your pocket.

If we keep the bowels clean, we save all those bad hours which are wasted by neglect.

That's why we make candy tablets, and put them in pocket-size boxes. We want you to learn how easy it is to keep well.

There is nothing so natural in laxatives—nothing so gentle—as Cascarets.

Cascarets are candy tablets. They are sold by all druggists, but never in bulk. Be sure to get the genuine, with CCC on every tablet. The price is 50c, 25c and

Ten Cents per Box

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CLOSES MONDAY

NEXT Monday, Feb. 10th, will be the last day The May Co.'s great St. Louis department store will swing open its door for business.

Only 4 Days More

DESPERATE price-cutting marks the last days of our Retiring Sale. Values are extremely sensational. It's a race with Time now to sell out completely by Monday night--with prices cut to the "quick" and an inevitable record-breaking volume of purchases by the crowds that are thronging the store from morning till night, we should win out

DO NOT FAIL TO BE HERE DAILY.

Famous has bought our leasehold — The May Co. — We give Famous possession on Feb. 15th



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NEW ORLEANS
MOBILE, PENSACOLA
February 27 - March 3
$20.00 ROUND TRIP via
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St. Louis' Best Business Exchange. Your Druggist Our Want Ad Agent.



W. L. DOUGLAS $3.50 SHOES FOR MEN

I make and sell more men's $3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world.

If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, and wear longer than any other $3.50 shoes.

W. L. DOUGLAS $4 SHOE CANNOT BE EQUALLED AT ANY PRICE.

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CAUTION W. L. Douglas name and price is stamped on bottom. Take No Substitute.

Fast Color Eyelets Used Exclusively.

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Thousands and thousands of pleased users continue to buy it year after year.

Large bottle, 25c.

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Turned thousands away from our popular Matinee yesterday; another one tomorrow. Hurry for seats; only 32 left.
25c Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.
25c Mat. TOMORROW | JAS. J. CORBETT in The Burglar and the Lad
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The Home of Folly. Two Fun-Fests Daily
AVENUE GIRLS
Special—Extra—M'LLE IRMA LORRAINE.
HUMAN STATUE IN GOLD.
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THE POPULAR Temptation Prices 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c
25c MAT. TODAY. | UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES
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Mats. Wednesday and Saturday 25c and 50c.
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COLE AND JOHNSON
In Their Musical Comedy Success
THE SHOO-FLY REGIMENT
Next Sunday Matinee—THE LAND OF NOD.

GAYETY 14th and LOCUST
Two shows daily. Home of refined extravaganza and high-class vaudeville.
CHAS. ROBINSON AND HIS NIGHT OWLS.
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SEAT SALE NOW ON AT BOLLMAN'S, 1120 OLIVE ST.
GRAND OPERA
ODEON, Feb. 11 to 15
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Tues., AIDA—Norls, Constantino.
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An Evening of Scottish Song.
ROYAL SCOTS
Concert Company
DIRECT FROM SCOTLAND.
ODEON TOMORROW AT 8:15
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Seats 25c, 50c, 75c, at Bollman's, 1120 Olive st. NOW ON SALE.

OLYMPIC—Tonight
Regular Matinee Saturday.
ANNA HELD
IN
The Parisian Model
EXTRA MATINEE
THURSDAY (Tomorrow)
SPECIAL PRICES, 50c, $1.00, $1.50
SEATS ON SALE.
Next Sunday—Seats Tomorrow.
The Road to Yesterday
with MINNIE DUPREE.
Direct from 7 Months at Herald Square Theater, New York.

CENTURY—Tonight
MATINEE TODAY, 25c TO $1.00.
BLANCHE WALSH
in THE KREUTZER SONATA.
NEXT SUNDAY—SEATS TOMORROW
THE TIME, PLACE AND GIRL with JOHN E. YOUNG and LOTS OF GIRLS

GARRICK—TONIGHT AT 8:00
THE ITALIAN GRAND OPERA CO.
in IL TROVATORE
Thurs., Otello; Fri., Lucia; Sat. Matinee, Traviata; Sat. night, Aida; Sun. night, Cavalleria Rusticana and I Pagliacci.
Prices: 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2; Boxes, $9.00.

SOUSA AND HIS BAND, 55 ARTISTS.
SPECIAL SOLOISTS
2 CONCERTS 2:15
ODEON, MAT. TODAY, 2:15
TONIGHT, 8:15
Mat. Children, 25c and 50c. Boxes, $5. Evenings, $1, 75c, 50c. Boxes, $9. Seats at Bollman's.

WANT WIFE? OR $10,000? GROCER SUGGESTS PLAN

F. W. Horn Would Form Syndicate for Lonelies and Furnish Dowries.

NOT EXPENSIVE, EITHER

If You Were Lucky $10 Might Be Total Cost; Then It Might Not.

SYNDICATE PROMOTER IS YOUNG ATHLETE

FRED W. HORN, is 20 years old. He is 5 feet 7 inches tall and weighs 150 pounds. His eyes are dark brown and his hair is black with no tendency to curl. His forehead is high, his jaws heavy, denoting great physical strength; his nose is broad and his lips are full. His head is set on the neck of a born athlete. He dresses well, usually wearing a dark sack suit, a fancy vest and a four-in-hand tie. He keeps his trousers neatly creased and his shoes are patent leathers.

The Lonely Matrimonial Syndicate, Limited, is proposed by Frederick W. Horn of Girard, Ill., who offers himself as the first dividend on the preferred stock. Attracted to St. Louis by published accounts of the Lonely Social Circle, Horn told a Post-Dispatch reporter Wednesday of his unique plan for a business organization to supply mates for the unmated and put "newly-weds" on their financial feet.

Horn's plan is this: He would sell shares in the syndicate at $10 each to lonely maidens, spinsters, widows and divorcees between 20 and 35 years old, until 1000 shares are sold, and with the capital stock of $10,000 thus acquired would furnish the wedding feast and supply the happy home for one of the shareholders.

Others to Elect Her.

The lucky shareholder would be elected by the others as president, and after her retirement into matrimony would continue an honorary member of the Board of Directors.

The remaining 999 maidens, spinsters, widows and divorcees would replenish the treasury and select a new president, by which time, Horn believes, another man would come forward to be the dividend on the paid-up stock.

The married couples would be compelled to pay $10 toward each new fund, under the plan, and must refund all remaining of the original $10,000 in case of divorce.

This plan is as yet in the rough, and Horn says there are many points on which it probably could be improved. The first thing necessary he believes, is to arouse general interest among the unmated.

Horn is 29 years old, has brown hair and eyes, regular features and a good manner. He dresses well, and thinks he will prove wholly satisfactory to whatever shareholder in the Matrimonial Syndicate, Limited, happens to get him.

Says All Would Profit.

"No matter what she looks like or who she is, I'll take her, according to the agreement," Horn said earnestly. "It would be a provision of the company, however, that if she was more than 35 years old she should have $1000 to put into the company before she could become a shareholder.

"I believe this plan would not only afford an excellent opportunity for the ladies, but that the bachelors would profit.

"Now, up around Girard there are more confirmed bachelors than you ever saw. They laughed at me when I suggested this plan to them, but told 'em just to wait and see what happened. Probably some of them will be offering themselves to succeed me, first thing you know."

Horn first began to realize how many lonely unmated there are in St. Louis, he says, when he read of the Lonely Social Circle. He is in the grocery and meat business, but decided that before he offered himself to alleviate, in so far as he could, the ache in St. Louis feminine breasts he ought to make provision for some capital with which to begin marital life. With this in view, he soon evolved the notion of the matrimonial syndicate.

All Women Think

...ey can "make good coffee" ...d as far as the "making" ...es, doubtless they can.

But coffee, even the "best," ...ntains caffeine, a drug, which ...hard on the nerves, heart, and ...gestion.

It is easy to learn how to make ...ood"

POSTUM

It contains no coffee or other ...isonous matter.

"There's a Reason"

THIS MAN WOULD PROMOTE AND FINANCE MATRIMONIAL VENTURES



FREDERICK W. HORN.

SOUSA'S BAND AT THE ODEON

Excellent Program Presented at the Opening Concert.

The fairly large audience listening to Sousa's bank at the Odeon last night forgot the unpleasant rain and sleet outside, as a result of the artistic work of the musicians. The program offered the variety of Sousa, Straus, Dworak, Grieg and Wagner compositions.

The three soloists, Herbert L. Clarke, cornet; Miss Lucy Allen, soprano, and Jeannette Powers, violin, were enthusiastically received, the audience manifesting appreciation of their excellent work.

Sousa's descriptive suite, "Last Days of Pompeii," proved to be one of the best liked numbers on the program. Among the encores given was "He Walked Right in and Turned Around and Walked Right Out Again," which caused laughter as if it were a comic recitation. When "Stars and Stripes Forever" was played a veritable ovation was given to Sousa and his players.

The band plays this afternoon and evening, when its engagement terminates.

Merchants' Exchange Protests Bill.

Resolutions protesting against the Sims bill now before Congress, which is declared preliminary to the extension of the parcels post system, have been passed by the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange. It was decided to close the exchange on Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12.

Charm the Fat Away.

To reduce by means of exercise or dieting is nothing but torture to the flesh and mortification to the spirit. It is so much simpler to "charm" it away. Of course, I don't mean by "spells" or "incantations," but through the occasional use of this home receipt, viz.: ½ ounce Marmola, ½ ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 3½ ounces Syrup Simplex, which any one can obtain at any drug store for a small sum and mix at home. Take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime. It literally charms the fat away. Takes it off just where you need it off and does it quickly but harmlessly. Many persons lose as much as a pound a day.

Isn't that "charming" off the fat—eat what you please and still lose a pound a day—without strain, injury or effort? —Adv.

GRAND-LEADER STIX, BAER & FULLER, D. G. CO.

A Sale of New Wash Waists

THERE is no store in St. Louis that is today so thoroughly stocked with new merchandise as Grand-Leader. In Every department you see but a mere handful of goods from the winter season, and they are being ruthlessly sacrificed and will dwindle away to nothing before the spring season sets in.

In the Waist Section we are showing a vast array of the new modes, and are offering exceedingly attractive values in many lines.

THIS advertisement deals with a purchase of 500 dozen Waists that we secured below value, and we are, in consequence, offering special inducements. Eight of the forty and some odd styles are here shown. The garments are all substantially made; very effectively trimmed; prices range from **$4.95** down to **98c.**

(Third Floor.)



This Wash Waist 98c

OF excellent quality white lawn; front of allover blind embroidery and side tucks; exceptional value at **98c.**



This Wash Waist $2.25

OF India linen; front inserted with English eyelet embroidery and imitation filet lace; also tucks; special, **$2.25.**



This Wash Waist $2.50

OF French batiste, front trimmed with hand-embroidered medallions and inserted with Val. lace; finished with tucks; special at **$2.50.**



This Wash Waist $1.50

OF French batiste; front handsomely inserted with embroidery medallions between rows of Val. lace; a very effective design; at **$1.50.**



This Wash Waist $1.98

OF French batiste; front hand-embroidered in pretty design; a very exquisite lingerie Waist: specially priced in this sale, **$1.98.**



This Wash Waist $2.98

OF finest handkerchief linen; entire front finished with wide plaits; open front; long sleeves; neatly tailored; special value at **$2.98.**



This Wash Waist $2.98

OF French batiste; front elaborately inserted with embroidery medallions between rows of Val. lace; exceptional value in this sale at **$2.98.**



This Wash Waist $3.98

OF fine French batiste; yoke of Val. lace; imitation filet medallions; elaborately inserted and edged with Val. lace; special value at **$3.98.**

Women's White Petticoats; $1.50 and $1.75 Values for $1.25

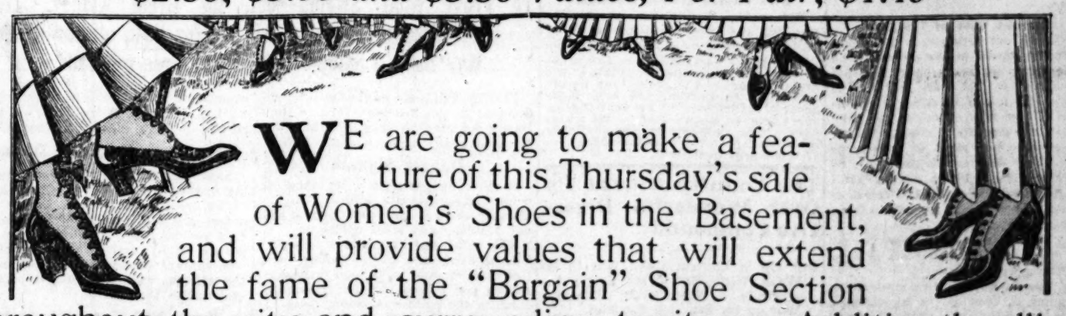
For Thursday's selling we offer several hundred Petticoats of fine cambric with deep umbrella flounce of India linen; trimmed with several rows of lace insertion and tucks, others with deep open embroidery, insertion and cluster of tucks; a great variety of styles; $1.50 and $1.75 values, at..... **$1.25**

$1.25

(Second Floor.)

Thursday's Sale of Women's Shoes in Basement

$2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 Values; Per Pair, $1.49



WE are going to make a feature of this Thursday's sale of Women's Shoes in the Basement, and will provide values that will extend the fame of the "Bargain" Shoe Section throughout the city and surrounding territory. Additional selling space will shortly be given to this department, and we have set a high mark for the volume of business that must be done during the year.

Our first aim will be to create a very large outlet for manufacturers' surplus stocks, samples, etc., and we will do so by giving the most remarkable values. For this initial sale we have provided almost 2000 pairs of Women's high-grade Shoes; in 28 different lasts; of patent colt, patent kid and fine kid; hand-turned soles; Goodyear welts; lace, button and Blucher; all sizes from 2 to 8; A to E widths; Shoes worth $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 a pair; all priced at **$1.49.**

$1.49 **$1.49**

(In the Basement Shoe Section on Thursday)

Society

COUNTESS DE CENTININI will be given one of the largest and most elaborate receptions of the season by her sisters, Mrs. Fred Ludwig Smith and Mrs. Louis Barkledge at the home of Mrs. Smith in Waterman avenue, Park View, Monday afternoon, Feb. 10, between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock.

The Countess is in professional life Mme. Jane Noria and is known to a wide circle of old St. Louis friends as "Josie" Ludwig. Mme. Noria has been given the honor of appearing in "Aida" Tuesday evening when the San Carlos Opera Company opens its engagement in St. Louis. The reception to be given by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Barkledge is the first of consequence Mme. Noria has accepted since winning her laurels, as her time in St. Louis has always been very limited and much taken up professionally and with her immediate family.

Mrs. Smith will give a family dinner at her home following the reception. Tuesday evening the boxes and parquet will be filled with friends of Mme. Noria, who, with her husband, Count de Centinini, will be the guest of honor at a dinner party to be given by a number of old friends at one of the fashionable clubs or hotels.

Mme. Noria will be the star in three of the six performances to be given by the company in St. Louis, appearing at the matinee on Saturday. Mrs. Charles Ludwig and Miss Lily Ludwig are still in Paris.

Mrs. Winthrop G. Chappell will be hostess at a bridge party she will give at her Westminster place home for Mrs. Furlong of Milwaukee, who is the guest of Mrs. Oliver Garrison.

Mrs. Max Stern of 5190 Cabanne avenue will give a reception at her home Wednesday, Feb. 12, between the hours of 2 and 6.

The annual masquerade ball of the Union Club will be given at the clubhouse Thursday, Feb. 13. The mask ball of this club is conceded to be one of the most brilliant of the social season and this year promises to be no exception.

The Entertainment Committee of the St. Louis Woman's Club announces a vaudeville performance on St. Valentine's day, Feb. 14, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Chris Garvey will give a 500 party Feb. 19 for Miss Marie Cotter of Dallas, Tex., who is the guest of Miss Mildred Kupferle.

Thursday Mrs. George Willard Teasdale will give a 500 party for Miss Cotter. Mr. and Mrs. Teasdale and Mr. Willard Walsh Teasdale were fellow travelers of Miss Cotter in their recent European journey.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville W. Abell have taken apartment at the Hotel Beers for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Cote, accompanied by Miss M. A. Bays, have apartments at Hotel Del Coronado. They will make a midwinter stay at Coronado Beach, Cal.

Miss Nora Spence, who has been visiting Miss Daisy Worthen of 4313 St. Louis avenue departed for Pinckneyville, Ill., where she is visiting relatives.

The engagement of Miss Edith Phillips and Arthur Widdicombe has been announced. The marriage will take place Feb. 7 at the home of the bride, in Maplewood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Benning are guests at Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado Beach, Cal.

Mrs. F. T. Russell of 4606 McMillin avenue will leave Thursday to attend a reception to be given in her honor by her sister, Mrs. A. A. Welskirck of Topeka, Kan.

The marriage of Miss Edwina Tutt and Chisholm Beach will be celebrated very quietly at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Tutt, immediately after the ceremony the bride and bridegroom will depart for a honeymoon journey to the Pacific Coast resorts.

The wedding of Miss Anna E. Spuehler and Fred C. Judell will take place Wednesday, Feb. 12. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride, 3645 Cleveland avenue, by the Rev. Dr. John L. Roemer of the Tyler Place Presbyterian Church. The marriage of Miss Spuehler and Mr. Judell will culminate a courtship began in childhood. After a bridal tour Mr. and Mrs. Judell will go to housekeeping in Humphrey street.

Miss Nellie Eaton of Hutsonville, Ill., has returned home, after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Edwin Clarence Moody of 5358 Patton avenue.

A. MOLL GROCER CO.

SEVENTH AND FRANKLIN

SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Washburn Crosby's **Gold Medal Flour** per 98-lb. Sack, **$2.85**

21 Lbs. Granulated SUGAR for $1.00

Choice Sugar Cured Hams Per Lb. **10**

No. 3 cans Matchless Table Pears, per can	15c
Delmar Club Brand of "Maine" Corn, per can	10c
Lake View Lemon Cling Peaches, per can	18c
Victory Brand Early June Peas, 2 cans for	15c
Large tins Anchovies; regular 20c size; per tin	15c
White Star Lima Beans, per can	8c
No. 3 can Sauer Kraut, per can	7c
Delmar Club ¾-size Extra Sardines, in mustard; 2 cans for	15c
Delmar Club Pure Virgin Olive Oil, per bottle	40c
Tip-Top Brand Red Alaska Salmon, per can	12c
Choice New York Evap. Apples, per lb.	10c
Large Valencia Raisins (very fine flavor), per lb.	9c
California Package Figs, per package	5c
Fancy Large Whole Figs, per lb.	15c
Large Valencia Shelled Almonds, per lb.	38c
½-lb. pkg. JAPAN TEA SIFTING, per pkg.	5c
Fancy Genuine Jumbo Peanuts, per lb.	10c
8 Cakes Star Cleaner for	25c
Large 10c Black and White Scrubbing Brushes for	7c
Extra Fine Full Cream Brick Cheese, per lb.	15c
Large Screw-Top Jars Prepared Mustard, per jar	9c
Crescent Corn or Wheat Flakes; regular 10c package; as long as they last, per package	5c
1-lb. cans Jack Frost or Shepard Baking Powder for	20c
Extra fine German Dill Pickles, per dozen	12c
Fancy Sour Pickles, per dozen	5c
Uncle Sam Pancake Flour, per package	9c
Select Country Roll Butter, per lb.	25c
Extra Select Delmar Club Santos Coffee, 2 lbs. for	35c
Choice Roasted Gautemala Coffee, per lb.	20c
Fancy All Milchner Holland Herrings, per keg	65c
California Sweet Prunes, per pound	5c
Choice Sugar Cured Smoked Shoulder, per lb.	8c
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Father of Family Originates System of Daily Bookkeeping.

HE EXPLAINS DETAILS

Says It Is Impossible to Go Behind If Care Is Exercised.

L. M. Greenlaw of 6182 Plymouth avenue, student of domestic economy, has a plan for aiding all St. Louis families in moderate circumstances who desire to save money.

His idea is for each such family to establish a system of family bookkeeping and to maintain it with scrupulous exactness and thoroughness.

With every penny received and expended by each member systematically recorded, Mr. Greenlaw says, any family will be able to save money and forge ahead financially.

Plan Successful Five Years.

Mr. Greenlaw says he knows because he has followed his own plan for more than five years and has watched its results and studied its possibilities.

"Suppose I pick up my ledger at the end of the year?" Mr. Greenlaw said to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "and find that I've spent $30 for cigars that year. It is a very simple matter for me to say that in the ensuing year I will save $2 on that account and carefully limit my cigars for the next 12 months to a maximum of $28.

"Suppose my wife has spent $20 on soda and ice cream, according to my figures that never lie? Well, suppose she decides to save $1 along that line the next year. Again it is just as easy. Don't you see?"

The listener retorted that he would see it much more clearly if Mr. Greenlaw would indicate exactly how he kept such a mathematically correct account of his cigar store expeditions and his wife's onslaughts on soda fountains.

Makes Entries Every Day.

"That's simple, too. It doesn't take five minutes' time a day," he answered. "Every evening after supper, my wife and I sit in the parlor and I take out my daybook. Then I write down every penny I have expended during that day and specify the purpose for which it was expended. She hears me do so. Then she tells me every cent she took from the family exchequer during the same period and the reason for passing it into general circulation. I make these entries in the daybook, too.

"Thus every day I have a perfect record. At the end of the month I transfer the accounts to my ledger. I have a number of different subdivisions under which I classify every kind of expenditure. My monthly posting of accounts occupies only about an hour and a half. At the end of the year I tabulate an annual record, which work occupies only a few hours."

"And what do you do then?" asked the reporter.

Prepares Budget in Advance.

"Why, I do just like all up-to-date financial institutions do," Greenlaw replied. "I prepare my budget for the ensuing year. I first settle upon a certain amount as a sinking fund—or fund to go into bank. Then I estimate the amount needed for the coming year based on the figures of the preceding year. Usually my wife and I can tell from looking at these cigar and soda accounts, not to say at gas and butcher and light and coal bills, where we may do a little pruning. Having agreed where we can get along on a certain amount for the year, we, in a sense, appropriate the necessary amount to cover these estimated expenditures. The rest we plan to bank.

"And the best of it is," Greenlaw added enthusiastically, "that our plans have always carried themselves out beautifully and we have never found it necessary to be stingy."

Greenlaw says his system can be adopted by families comprising several persons as well as by families of two. He knows this from experience, too, he explains, as the stork visited his home a year ago and his bookkeeping has since partaken of a triple-entry character.

Figures Cost of Child.

"Of course, our little girl is too young to actually spend money herself," he volunteered, "but we keep a separate account for her, and every cent that is expended for a pair of shoes or stockings or a cap or a dress for the baby goes into a separate account. So we will know just how much we have spent on her every day, month and year, as exactly as I know about the amount I spent for those aforementioned cigars or her mother's chocolate Sundaes I have already spoken about."

"You will be able to answer the famous query as to what it costs to raise a girl then, won't you?"

"Yes," he answered with a grim smile, "I'm going to keep up the bookkeeping as long as I can, and I think that will be as long as I'm alive, and I'm going to enter every item just as I'm doing now for my whole family. And when my daughter is old enough I am going to get her to give me a daily financial report just like her mother.

"And I'm sure it's all going to help me to lay aside a little more money every year and to make me a more careful buyer and financier. The trouble is with most people that they don't know what their living costs except that they spend all they make and usually owe a little something in advance of each salary day.

Makes Money Go Further.

"My system forms a guide for future expenditures, enables a man to take advantage of past financial mistakes and does away with the necessity of any 'hand-to-mouth' existence. I am quite sure that a man with $125 a month, following my system, will live equally as well as a man with $150 a month and no financial system of his own.

"There are some men who work for great corporations and know from their own experience how closely these corporations study the cost of production of the goods they manufacture, and how very carefully they watch every penny expended therefor, yet never think it worth while to adopt this same method in studying the cost of living to themselves. They flounder around without any financial chart or compass and still wonder why the corporation gets richer and richer and they stand still or go backward financially."

No Record of Drinks.

"Do you think your system will commend itself to the head of every family?" Mr. Greenlaw was asked. "Don't you think it possible that some men might not care to enter for record every night in the presence of their wife and daughter every item of expense they incurred during the day? Would it accord with your system for a man to enter a round of drinks for his friends under the title of 'sundries' in his day book?"

"I cannot answer that question," Greenlaw replied. "That has not been part of my experience. Maybe the man who has enough money to buy refreshments for his friends daily would not care to go to the trouble of keeping such a record as I have described. It is designed for those who would be economical, although not stingy."

HOW GREENLAW KEEPS FAMILY CASH ACCOUNT

Here is a sample statement copied from L. M. Greenlaw's books for one month in 1907, contrasted with the corresponding month of 1906. The subdivisions show the classifications under which Greenlaw groups his expenditures. Parts of the amounts are omitted because they refer to the personal business of Mr. Greenlaw's family. But the table shows how every detail of family expenditures can be carefully recorded:

Account.	Average per month. 1906.	1907.
1. Rent	$36 00	$36 00
2. Groceries	16 52	15 16
3. Meat	5 92	4 84
4. Milk and cream	2 57	4 32
5. Ice	1 14	1 29
6. Household goods (not lasting)	1 80	2 22
7. Household goods (lasting)	2 33	2 14
8. Laundry	5 21	5 84
9. Electric light	1 64	1 77
10. Gas	1 92	2 56
11. Physician's services and medicines	5 55	9 48
12. Life insurance	8 60	10 44
13. Car fare	3 85	3 47
14. Stamps, stationery, reading matter	1 06	1 22
15. Church	1 45	1 70
16. Miscellaneous	3 94	2 89
17. Baby food (in addition to milk)	.....	1 20
18. Husband's personal expense	.....	.....
19. Wife's personal expense	.....	.....
20. Daughter's personal expense	.....	.....
21. Recreation	.....	.....
22. Gifts	.....	.....
23. R. R. fare (exclusive of street-car fare)	.....	.....
24. Lunches	.....	.....
25. Cigars, candy, etc.	.....	.....
Total	.....	.....

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PICTURE HATS MAKE MEN "FLUNK" IN PSYCHOLOGY AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Petition That Co-Eds Come Bareheaded for Classes Results From Increase in Failures.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Men students in the psychology class of Prof. William Waugh of the University of Chicago have petitioned their professor to forbid the wearing of picture hats by girls in the class room. They assert the forests of veils and plumes interrupt their gaze upon the professor and cause them to "flunk."

On Monday the professor sent out "flunk notices" to more than three-fourths of the men in the class, and the petition was their response.

Prof. Waugh said the matter would be taken to President Harry Pratt Judson.

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W. REX SMITH ACCIDENTALLY SHOOTS SELF; RUSHED TO CITY

W. Rex Smith, youngest of the Smith brothers of Silkeston, Mo., is at the Mullanphy Hospital, suffering from a serious abdominal bullet wound inflicted by accident.

Smith was placing his revolver in his overcoat pocket in a hotel at Lilbourn, Mo., when it was discharged. He was brought to St. Louis at 9 p. m. Tuesday.

SANTA FE CURTAILS SERVICE

Abandons 17 Trains—Missouri Pacific Closing Stations.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 5.—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Co. has abolished 17 passenger trains in Kansas and Oklahoma. The Missouri Pacific is to close the smaller stations all over the system.

Ladies shopping, try an Oyster Lunch. Milford's Restaurant, 207-209 N. Sixth.

Fire Causes $15,000 Damage.

Fire early Wednesday completely wrecked the interior of the building at 5601 Garfield avenue, occupied by the St. Louis Soft Sole Co. The cause of the fire is unknown. When the firemen reached the scene they barely succeeded in getting the fire under control sufficiently to prevent it from spreading to a two-story flat next door. The damage to the building is estimated at $6000 and $9000 worth of stock was destroyed.

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As this is the season of the year for heavy goods and close confinement, most stomachs get out of order. You should have your druggist put up this mixture for you. If your are one of the few fortunates who do not suffer with stomach troubles, cut this out and hand it to some friend.

FIRE BURNS ALL NIGHT; FACTORY LOSS $55,000

Engineer Struck by Flying Cylinderhead—Tenements Threatened.

The police are forbidding traffic and pedestrians from the streets adjoining the blackened and trembling three-story brick walls which are all that a spectacular fire has left of the plant of the Staudte & Rueckoldt Manufacturing Co., at 112 Soulard street. Within range of the north wall, on Soulard street, stands a row of 10 tenements, populous with laborers in the car shops and their families. The police say the walls will be pulled down.

The fire, which started at 6 p. m. Tuesday, from crossed wires in the company's offices in the northwest corner of the building, was still burning at 9 a. m. Wednesday. The damage done is already $55,000, according to Charles Rueckoldt, son of the president of the company. It was engaged in the manufacture of bank, store and barroom fixtures.

The slushy condition of the streets makes the work of the 180 firemen on the scene dangerous and difficult. The horses slipped and fell so often that the firemen finally unhitched them and dragged the apparatus themselves from one point of vantage to another. Several thousand persons besieged the fire lines, and Mrs. Mary Gresser of 1629 South Second street, who broke through, was burned on the forehead by a flying ember.

A cylinder head blew out of engine No. 6 and struck the engineer, Patrick McCarthy, on the right side. The escaping water pinned him against the wall. He was taken to the City Hospital, but had so far recovered Wednesday as to go to his home.

ELEVATOR KILLS LONE WATCHMAN AT WAREHOUSE

Crushed to Death During Night, Victim Hangs in Pit Until Found.

A descending freight elevator crushed out the life of Alfred E. Pinckney, a night watchman at the S. N. Long warehouse, Ninth and Gratiot streets, in the early hours of Wednesday morning.

Clerks arriving at the time for opening business found the watchman's body crushed and pinioned at the waist by the heavy car, the arms extended upon the floor, while the legs hung in the shaft. He had been dead for several hours.

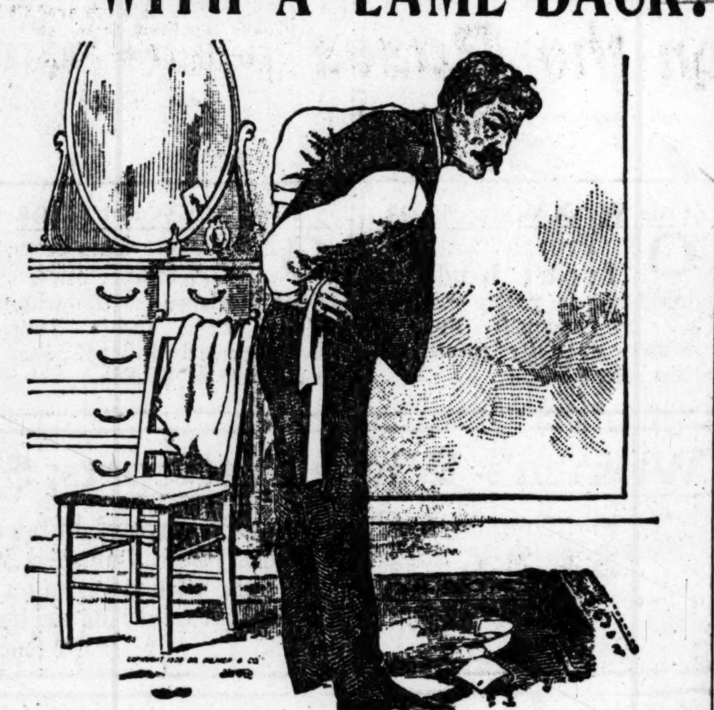
Those familiar with the place said the watchman must have entered the elevator pit and pulled the car down on himself by some accident. Had he remained in the pit he would have been imprisoned by the car, but would not have been injured, as the car stops at the basement floor. He was apparently killed in trying to climb out.

Pinckney was 58 years old, and had two sons and a daughter in Lebanon, Mo. He lived on the warehouse premises.

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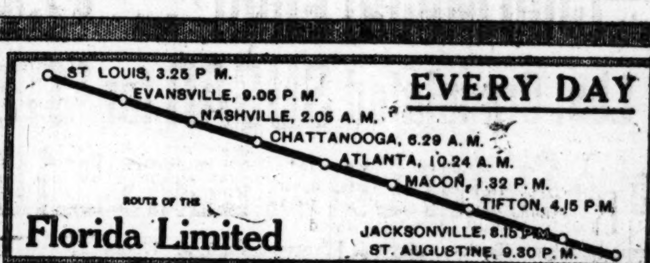
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DOINGS IN SPORT GATHERED FOR THE POST-DISPATCH

McAleer Drops Dubious Hitters in Gotham Trade

Browns' Manager Thinks Clark Griffith Will Discover to Sorrow Why Trade Was Made.

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

MANAGER JAMES McALEER of the Browns had a secret purpose in making the trades of his ballplayers last fall. While many critics of the country are declaring that James got the worst of the deal, nevertheless he accomplished his purpose and in one respect at least the Browns will satisfy him this year.

Left-handed pitchers in the other clubs of the American League were the undoing of the Browns last year. To eradicate that trouble McAleer decided to oust his left-handed batters and secure some strong right-handers. No one can deny that he has been successful in the changes he has made.

This year there will be but one really weak left-handed hitter, Danny Hoffman. He is lost before a few of the good southpaw pitchers in the league, but against right-handed flingers he is up in the .300 class of slashers. Stone, of course, is a left-handed batter, but he whacks the southpaws with almost as great ease as the regulars.

On the other hand, Jimmy Williams, Hobe Ferris and Charley Jones will cause the managers of the other clubs of the league to shift their plans for beating the Browns. No longer will Altrock, White, Plank, Waddell, Killian, Newton and one or two others be saved when they see the Browns approaching. Last season it was almost useless for the Browns to begin a game against any one of these fellows, as only an unusually good streak of luck would give them a chance to win.

LOCAL fans cannot help but concede the wisdom of McAleer in making that change. He had become weary of the futile attempts of his left-handed hitters and every city that he went to and every team that came here was shoving the southpaws at him more than half the time.

It is not putting it too much to expect the Browns to win a dozen or fifteen games more next season than last, through nothing more than having a lot of right-handed batters. A good left-handed batter like George Stone is indeed a jewel, for he can hit any of them that face him and has the advantage in bunts by being a couple of steps nearer first base. But Niles and Hemphill were at a loss when the southpaws put in an appearance and many a game was lost simply because these men could not deliver a much-needed hit.

The advantage gained by getting these right-hand batters will more than offset any loss that might come because of the absence of Fred Glade from the Browns' pitching staff. Glade may be a wonder in New York, but even if he is, it is almost a certainty he would have been a failure in St. Louis this year, so it is better that he was traded. It is even doubtful if he would have reported at all, so let New York have the services of the great speed twirler, and if he can get in better standing with New York fans than he was with St. Louis he may be a great success.

TOM JONES has written President R. L. Hedges that there will have to be some pretty fancy playing to beat him out of his regular job at first base. If Tom can deliver the same brand of fielding and hitting that he did in the season of 1906 he is going to be the regular first sacker at least another season. But if he begins opening samples of the same stock as he had on hand last year he will have to give way to someone else, though as yet no one knows who it will be.

The young but well-touted Brown from the Montreal club probably has the best chance of any of them, but there is another youngster on the Browns the fans are overlooking and it would not be surprising to see him tucked in as the regular first sacker before half the month of May is gone. That is Criss, who is coming here from St. Paul as a pitcher.

Criss is one of those hitting pitchers like George Mullin, and the stories around the American Association circuit are that he can field at first base like "Jiggs" Donohue. Criss may find himself doing infield duty as soon as the team reaches the South instead of practicing curve throwing with the other pitchers.

Gardner, the athletic young infielder from the Austin club, is another possibility. However, his regular position is at second and he has not played first to speak of. But he is a good ballplayer and would undoubtedly do well in any position.

If all the youngsters fall down and Tom Jones, too, McAleer will still have Joe Yeager, who is an excellent man on first base, and Jimmy Williams might play on the first corner and leave Joe at third.

JEM ROCHE, THE IRISH CHAMPION, HAS RICHARD CROKER'S BACKING




JAMES ROCHE OF IRELAND.

CROKER'S BACKING SEEMS TO GIVE ROCHE A SHOW

Former Tammany Boss Not Likely to Be Giving Money Away to Burns—Other Gossip of the Ring.

BY ROBERT EDGREN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.

THE main thing in favor of Jem Roche of Ireland, who is matched to fight Tommy Burns, is that Dick Croker is backing him.

Dick Croker is a good judge of men. His ability in this line made him the most powerful "boss" New York ever had.

Dick Croker isn't likely to pick any dead ones.

Perhaps Croker thinks that J. Roche, champion of Ireland, has a chance with Tommy Burns. Perhaps he just thinks that Roche will put up a hard fight, and that the fun of pulling it off and sitting in a box at the ringside will be worth the money. One thing is sure, Mr. Croker isn't handing Tommy Burns the winner's end of a £1500 purse and a £500 side bet merely as a matter of charity. He isn't presenting Tommy about $8500 just because he likes the way Tommy parts his hair.

ROCHE, from all accounts, is another Peter Maher, as Peter was when first discovered by Billy Madden on the Ould Sod.

He is huskily built, very much on the lines of Tommy Burns himself. He is of the same weight as Burns. He doesn't know a quarter, probably, of what Burns knows in the boxing line. But he is a sturdy, slugging fighter. Recently Roche whipped Williams, who, four years ago, knocked out Gunner Moir in two rounds.

When the fight comes off, at Dublin, there will probably be more betting on it than on the Burns-Moir affair.

JOE WALCOTT must feel sad over losing that gold tooth. Just a common, ordinary natural tooth probably wouldn't worry Joe at all. But those gold 'teet'—um—umm—those suttenly do cos' a heap of money—mah goodness, yes!

WHICH reminds me of the time when Leach Cross was fighting a preliminary bout at the Dry Dock. Leach had a couple of gold teeth knocked out. The teeth fell upon the floor. Immediately the spectators saw a queer sight—a tall, lanky boxer bent double, dancing and sidestepping about the ring, holding up one hand to block his opponent's blows and exclaiming anxiously, "Look out for me teet'—don't step on me teet'."

JIM CORBETT lost a tooth at Carson. One of Bob Fitzsimmons' wallops broke it off close to the gum. One of Corbett's seconds reached into the ring and grabbed the tooth. Later he had it set as a watch charm, and for all I know he may be wearing it to this day.

SOMEBODY told Tom Sharkey that if he had his grinders pulled he couldn't be knocked out by a punch on the chin, as there would be nothing to communicate the shock to the brain. Tom blew a couple of dollars on a dentist without delay. Then he fought Bob Fitzsimmons. Every time Fitz tapped Thomas on the jaw the sailor grinned. He thought the joke was on Fitz. But Bob shifted to the solar plexus. The joke was on Tom after all.

BRITISH VARSITY ATHLETES HAVE NOT DECLINED MEETING

Prospect of Acceptance of American Challenge Is Misty, However.

OXFORD, England, Feb. 5.—The report printed in the United States that the Oxford University Athletic Club has rejected the challenge sent by the American Intercollegiate Athletic Association for international track and field athletic meeting between teams representing the universities of the United States and Great Britain at the London Olympic games in 1908, is not true.

The question of the acceptance of the American collegians' challenge has not yet been decided. A meeting of the Oxford union will be held soon to consider the question.

It is believed the challenge of the Americans will be declined owing to the difficulty that would be experienced in selecting a suitable team, and that the athletes of Oxford and Cambridge and their training by Easter and it would be difficult for them to keep it up until July, the time of the proposed meet.

JOCKEY DELABY BACK IN SADDLE

Dick Watkins' Rider Reinstated at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5.—Jockey Delaby will again be seen in the saddle, the stewards having granted him permission to ride for his employer, Dick Watkins.

Matt Winn has quit New Orleans in disgust. "Under present conditions," says Matt, "I will never come here again."

Judging by appearances it would not be a surprise should the next meeting of the directors culminate in a battle royal, such is the feeling of each member toward the other. It would surely be a good thing.

PALACE TEAM FAR IN LEAD AT THE FINISH

With an Average of 972 1-3, It Takes Three Games From Cabannes on Last Night.

The Palace bowling team, although having the second series in the City Tenpin League won before going to the post Tuesday night, made a strong finish, and, by averaging 972 1-3, won three games from the Cabannes on the Metropolitan alleys. The team won 24 games and lost but three. This is indeed a remarkable record considering that the City League is a scratch organization and that the 10 teams that compose the league are the strongest in St. Louis.

The Palace team won all three games from the Cabannes easily. Captain Jules Schmitt led the Palace team with the neat average of 209 1-3, the big fellow going over the 200 mark in every game. Rautenberg was in form for the Cabannes and averaged 209 1-3.

The Witter-Christens finish second in the second series with 18 games won and 9 lost. The De Soto Stars are third with 16 games won and 11 lost. The Schneidts are fourth with 15 won and 12 lost.

The De Soto Stars, winners of the first series, hung up the best average Tuesday night. The team shot against the De Soto No. 1 five on the Palace alleys. The team averaged 976 2-3, which gave the Stars three easy victories.

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M. A. C. FIVE FALLS BEFORE CENTRAL

Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball Players Give Cherry Diamond First Beating of Local Teams.

The Central Y. M. C. A. outplayed and defeated the Missouri A. C. basket ball team at Louisiana Hall Tuesday night, 28 to 27, in one of the most exciting games ever played in this city, the defeat being the first that the wearers of the Cherry Diamond has sustained at the hands of a local team in three years.

During the game some member of the M. A. C. struck Roe, left forward for the Central Y. M. C. A. team, on the head, almost knocking him out. This caused considerable excitement. After the game Arthur Zachritz of the McKinley H. S. basket ball team criticised the work of Coach Walker of the Central High School, who acted as referee for the game. It is said that Walker used considerable physical force to demonstrate to Zachritz that he was in the wrong.

The M. A. C. team was outplayed all through the contest, the Central team showing a style of attack that puzzled Arbeiger's five. McKnight and Reber, the Central guards, covered Newman and Rauscher, the M. A. C. forwards, so well that Newman failed to throw even one goal from the field.

Elkington Gets Bowling Prize.

Ed Elkington, with an average of 244 1-3 for three games, won first prize for the anniversary tenpin bowling contest held on the Grand alleys. Jellison with a 236 2-3 averagge, was second. C. Melton, with 236 1-3 average, was third. The other prize winners, with their averages were: Rothwell, 236; Barber 233; Barker, 232 1-3; Nicholson, 238 1-3; Krebs, 225 1-3; Jacobs, 224; Wright, 223 2-3.

St. Pius to Play St. Angues.

The St. Pius Association football team will play the St. Agnes eleven Saturday afternoon. The St. Pius' line-up follows: Byrnes, Rothschild, Drake, Cogbell, Labee, forwards; Hemm, Geehon, halfbacks; Harles and Hennerichs, fullbacks; Schmitt, goal.

Indoor Baseball Games Wednesday.

The usual weekly double-header between teams of the City Indoor Baseball League will be played at Louisiana Hall Wednesday night. The Kamps will oppose the Concordia Turners in the opening contest, and the Rocks and Lynchs will meet in the second game.

Cross Country Work to Start.

The Washington University cross-country squad will have its first workout Thursday afternoon. The men will cover about two miles. Johnson, Chivvis, Robinson, Culbertson, Ferris and Borgstedt will compose the squad.

Kansas Beats Missouri.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 5.—The Kansas five won the first basketball game from the Missouri team tonight by the score of 21 to 20. Team work made the scores for Missouri. Missouri failed to connect with the basket at the end of the last half and Kansas won with a sprint. The same teams play tonight.

FITZGERALD LOSES ON A FOUL BLOW

Brooklyn Fighter Lands a Low One on Tommy Quill and Forfeits the Fight.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Tommy Quill of Brockton was awarded a victory over Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn last night on a decision of foul by the referee in the eleventh round of their exhibition before the Armory A. A. It was an even battle up to the unfortunate round, both men showing excellent form at infighting.

Fitzgerald did most of the work with a left hook, and one of these blows just caught Quill above the abdomen that made it possible for the referee to declare Quill the victor. A great many people thought the referee was a trifle hasty in awarding Quill the battle, as both men were fighting strong when the battle was terminated.

Pegged on the Bases

Word come sfrom Hot Springs that the Detroit ball club is planning to construct a park just outside of the city for training purposes. At present Pittsburg has the only available spot at the springs and the Tigers have always had difficulty in getting a good training camp.

Lave Cross has moved from his home at Millsboro, Del., to Cleveland, O., because, as someone states, a bill was passed in the Delaware State Legislature prohibiting the shooting of game from a motor boat in Indian River Bay. Down in Delaware they say the bill was directed against no one else but Cross, as he is the only hunter in those parts with a motor boat and he has been banging down more game than the rest who grew jealous and ousted him.

Harry Steinfeldt, the Cubs, third baseman, is looking to the future when he no longer can play ball at a big, fat salary. He went into partnership with his father this winter in a manufacturing business, making bakers' machinery and supplies.

It seems that Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics has the largest number of players under reserve for the coming season. Comiskey was supposed to have had the record with 17, but Mack announces that he has 50 men reserved. He will probably take about thirty down on the training trip.

The Iowa State League tried to get into the Class "C," but has been informed by Secretary Farrell of the National Association that it could not be granted yet. Such a league requires a circuit with a population of at least two hundred thousand people and the Government census shows that the Iowa League has but 137,543. The towns have grown since then and possibly have the required number now, but Farrell says they must go by the official figures.

Manager McGraw of the New York declares that he will increase Fred Tenney's stolen base record of 18 in 1907 to 32 in 1908. Will he hypnotize the opposing batteries to bring about this result?

The Pittsburg Pirates will leave Pittsburg on their spring training trip March 14. They will put in a week at West Baden and then 10 days at Hot Springs. On April 7 they play an exhibition game at Winfield, Kan., and the following day will be spent at Fred Clarke's little private farm, near Winfield.

Manager Sam Wright of the Youngstown team considers Schweitzer, who was drafted by St. Louis, one of the fastest men getting to first base in the business. He claims that he is another Harry Bay and looks just as good as Harry did when he left the minors. Wright would like to have Schweitzer for his Youngstown team and may get him if McAleer can't find use for him in the outfield.

St. Louis U. at Conference Meet.

The track athletes of the St. Louis University may take part in the Conference College meet at Chicago in June. Coach Cochems announced that he had five men who stand a good chance of getting points among the athletes of the "Big Eight." Schneider, in the hurdles; Clancy, in the quarter; and half-mile runs; Tobin, in the half and mile runs, and Cornett and Kirkendahl, in the dashes, are the most likely men to attend.

RACETRACK AT SALT LAKE CITY

Plans Made to Build Plant There for Summer Meeting.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 5.—The Tribune here says that an organization has been formed backed by some of the wealthiest men of the Intermountain West, to build a mile racetrack close to this city and provide the intermountain region with racing this summer. It is the intention to expend $250,000 within the next five months in building a trieste and erecting a grandstand, stables and other necessary buildings.

SCHAEFER TO PLAY HOPPE

Champion at 18.1 Deposits Forfeit to Bind the Match.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Jacob Schaefer has accepted Willie Hoppe's challenge for a match at 18.1 balk line billiards for the championship title, and Schaefer has deposited $250 to bind the match. The place for the playing of the match has not been announced, but it will probably be Chicago, Schaefer's home town.

NELSON TAKES A BEATING FROM THE BOER FIGHTER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 5.—Rudolph Unholz, the Boer lightweight, put it all over Battling Nelson here last night in a 10-round no-decision go. The Boer forgot his circus tumbling business that he put up with George Memsic and fought a fast and clever battle in which he out-generaled and outslugged and entirely out-boxed the Dane.

In the first round Rudolph showed that he was very much quicker than the Dane. He landed with left leads continually and had Nelson bothered from the start. Towards the end of the round the Boer let go a terrific left as he came out of a clinch and the Dane went to the floor, but was up again before the referee had a chance to count.

In the second and third rounds Nelson still seemed bothered and did not fight at all like the Battler of old days, but after that he commenced his well-known tactics of taking punishment, but following up just the same. Time after time Unholz brought the Battler's head back with terrific lefts, but the Dane merely shook his head and came on for more.

The fifth was the only round which could possibly be called even, and the only round in which Nelson landed any effective blows. During the rest of the fight he did nothing but fan the air, except in the clinches, when he worked in a few short arm jolts.

In the sixth round Unholz slipped on the wet floor in his corner and for some time was unsteady on his feet, but he cleverly worked his way in the rosin, then suddenly let go a left and right that would have put an ordinary man out. The rest of the fight was nothing but Nelson boring around the ring with his head down and his arms working like flails. But the Boer either dodged or ducked and then would suddenly straighten up and let fly lefts and rights that stopped Nelson and forced him into a clinch.

At the end of the ninth round the Boer's onslaught was so fierce that he had Nelson standing still and it looked for a time that he might win by a knockout. But rushed from his corner at the opening of the last round and hardly took time to shake hands. The Boer laughed and did a little foolish clownwork, hopping away from Nelson and making faces at him, but that did not last long, for Rudolph settled down to finish the fight if possible before the gong.

He was unable to do this, but landed effectively all the time and dodged every one of the Dane's returns. From the fifth round to the last Nelson was in worse shape at the end of each round than the one before and it was clear that it was only a question of time for the Boer to get him groggy and land a knockout blow.

Remarkable Bits of Sport

BY CHARLES A. COMISKEY.
(Owner Chicago White Sox.)

I'LL have to hand it to Arlie Latham. He turned the neatest piece of work I ever saw on the ball field, and it won the world's championship for the St. Louis Browns in '86.

It was in that sixth deciding game with the Chicago team and they had us 3—0 at the beginning of the eighth inning and it looked pretty dark for us. Clarkson and Carruthers were the pitchers.

I began the eighth inning with a single. Curt Welch followed me with a bunt and beat a bad throw by Tom Burns to Anson. I saw the ball going to the bleachers and I never stopped until I was home. That was the first run. Bushong then walked and stole, and next came Arlie Latham.

Arlie had done nothing in the way of hitting for the entire series. I had little hopes left and the fans expected nothing.

But Latham gripped the bat, stepped to the plate and then glancing down to Bushong, called to him, "Don't get off the bag, Bush. Don't you see who's at the bat? I'LL bring you in."

The crowd didn't take much stock in Arlie's talk and neither did we, but for once he certainly made good. He lined the ball over Dairymple's head for three bases and Welch and Bushong both scored and tied up the game. I never will forget how Latham motioned Bushong back to the bag and told him he would bring him in, when he had done nothing in the entire series until then.

Latham died on third in that inning, neither side could score in the ninth and in the tenth we got over the winning run when Kelly let a bad one get past him. Welch was on third then and


CHARLES COMISKEY.

I was coaching and I was ready to quit this life when I chased Welch, who was a grand baserunner and slider, to the home plate for the winning run.

But it was Latham who won the game with that three-base hit and the crowd carried him off the field after it was over.

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LABOR UNIONS AND THE BOYCOTT.

Persons who assume that the unanimous decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, holding that labor boycotts are combinations in restraint of trade and therefore in violation of the Sherman law, will paralyze labor organizations are governed perhaps by the wish rather than by the fact.

That the Sherman law applied to labor as well as to capital was well enough known at the time of its adoption. Various attempts were made to exclude labor unions from its operation, but all of them were voted down. It was for this reason among others that Presidents Cleveland, Harrison and McKinley did not enforce the law.

Since President Roosevelt has undertaken to give vitality to the measure, he, as well as many of his stanchest supporters, have complained that it was altogether too comprehensive even in its application to capital, and most of Mr. Roosevelt's regular messages have contained recommendations that it be modified in important respects.

Under this law, for example, railway pools and other joint traffic arrangements are forbidden, and yet there is reason to believe that with proper supervision such combinations might be made highly advantageous to shippers as well as to railroads.

As to the boycott now declared to be illegal, it is probable that if organized labor should abandon the practice forthwith it would lose little. Boycotting has been resorted to only occasionally in extreme cases where controversies as to working conditions have become embittered and where animosity has been carried to great extremes.

In most instances boycotts are more terrible in name than they are in fact, for to make them effective great labor and expense are necessary. To surrender that weapon wholly will cost organized labor very little and the saving in time and money will be considerable.

The necessary activities of labor unions are well protected by law. These organizations grew in numbers and influence before the boycott as such was ever resorted to. There is nothing in the judgment of the court that will restrict that development in the least.

HOLD FAST TO DANIEL NAUGHTON.

Now that the law of Missouri lays its hand upon Naughton once more let it hold him fast.

To be sure, he has first to settle with the court in the way of purging himself of contempt, and the manner of his punishment may dispose of his chance of escape for a time.

Another way to secure his presence in court when needed will be to lay him under heavy bonds and set his case on the day that Warner and Priesmeyer are to be tried.

More than this, he should be watched, and there are forces available for such service in connection with the Circuit Attorney's office. The Sheriff's and police departments, if necessary, can afford extra pains to prevent his escape a second time. The amount of a bond may be of no moment to those who would find protection in his absence. Big bonds in boodle cases do not always avail.

Considering the importance of Naughton as a factor in boodle disclosures, he should never have been permitted to escape in the first place. Once brought back, he ought to be under constant surveillance, which his flight amply justifies. Henceforth the authorities should know where to put their hands on Naughton at any hour of the day or night until the State is through with him in one way or another.

SECRETARY TAFT'S VISIT.

At a time when William H. Taft is bland and unctious, when he would smile even upon a fighting Democrat and when he comes to Missouri to bask in the favor of the people, what is the attitude of the factions here?

The Post-Dispatch regrets to report that the one which has the big man in charge has served notice on the other that it is neither to ride in carriages nor project its legs under the mahogany nor to serve upon the committees. If it cares to come in at a stated time and with due respect bump its various and several heads against the floor, well and good. Otherwise, the genial Secretary will be inaccessible.

It takes pretty nearly all the Republicans of Missouri to carry the State at election time, but a few of them can fix up a delegation to the national convention. If Mr. Taft is looking for electoral votes and trouble as well as for delegates he may interfere in the interest of harmony. He will get the trouble all right.

BOURKE COCKRAN'S POSITION.

After indorsing everything contained in the President's lurid special message and referring to the fact that he had always opposed Mr. Bryan and must continue to do so, Bourke Cockran concluded a speech in the House of Representatives with the remark referring to Mr. Bryan: "The Democrats have a crusader as to whom there is some doubt as to whether he is not too strenuous, but I believe this message has outlined the conditions under which he becomes the foreordained champion of law and order."

When Mr. Cockran talks on both sides of a question in this fashion it is a sure sign that the lecture bureaus have not made their contracts with him yet.

BONANZA BILL AND HIS $2 MUD.

Bonanza Bill's mining superintendent swears that the 1280 "dredgable" acres of the Nome tract "contain an average of $3.50 per cubic yard in free gold," and figures the total at over 80,000,000 cubic yards. Multiplying by $3.50 we have nearly $300,000,000.

But Bonanza Bill, as he expressly states, "would much rather err on the side of conservatism than otherwise;" and in erring on the side of conservatism here he adopts the extreme theory of infinitessimal doses—that the 40th of a grain of calomel will do as well as a 10-grain pill—or the alum principle that a little leaven will leaven the whole; for he deliberately rejects the sworn statement of his mining superintendent and substitutes the arbitrary reckoning of a paltry $2 to the cubic yard.

Following his astringent conservatism, we have it nicely figured out for us that there are 840 surface yards in an acre and 62,820 cubic yards, owing to the fact that the acre is 13 yards deep (not over deep for a conservative acre); that there are consequently in the 1280 acres some 80,537,000 cubic yards. And almost anybody can multiply this by the simple sum of $2; which explains Bonanza Bill's prospectus: "We find $161,075,200 in gold scattered throughout the entire tract." Could anything be plainer or more reasonable?

It is as simple and convincing as Mr. Slug's conservative calculations respecting the dog's-meat barrows of London. He found that the total number of small carts and barrows engaged in dispensing provision to cats and dogs was, by a conservative estimate, 1743. The average number of skewers delivered daily with the provender by each cart or barrow was 36. Multiplying skewers by barrows gave 62,748. Allowing for conservatism, that 2748 skewers were accidentally devoured with the meat by the more voracious of the animals, it followed that 60,000 skewers per day, or 21,900,000 per annum, were wasted in the kennels and dust-holes of London; which, if collected and warehoused, would in ten years' time, afford a mass of timber more than sufficient for the construction of a first-rate vessel of war for Her Majesty's navy, to be called "The Royal Skewer," which should sweep the seas and become a terror to all the enemies of the British Isles.

To Mr. Slug's credit, however, it must be remarked in passing that he did not capitalize his conservative calculations or endeavor to sell stock in them, coupled with a hope and a mental reservation.

But it is to Mr. Jobba, another member of the immortal Mudfog Association, that we are indebted for inventing a mercurial machine for conservative directors, which does away with the necessity for estimates and figures altogether and makes the values of shares go to any height at will. Obviously, Bonanza Bill could have saved himself much trouble with one of these.

Since his Nome prospectus is a purely arbitrary estimate, he might with equal reason have doubled or trebled it and brought the value of his tract to $322,150,400 or $483,225,600 instead of a drastically conservative $161,075,200, which means only 200 per cent dividends a year.

It is quite as easy for the mere Missourian to believe in $4 or $6 to the cubic yard of mud as to believe in $2. Really, two-dollar mud is too cheap for mud that is as far away as Nome.

WHY DOES NOT STEWART DINE CREECY?

Tonight Chief Creecy banquets retiring Commissioner Stewart. Wherefore?

Not that the guest of honor is undeserving. Not that the Chief in honoring him is not honoring himself. But merely that the courtesies seem topsy-turvy; the order ought to be reversed and Stewart play host to Creecy.

For police commissioners owe much to a good chief, while a good chief owes mainly to himself. Just as it is the army sergeant who makes the company, and the captain who makes the dress parade, so it is the chief of police who makes a great engine of a force, while commissioners are for court martials, ornamental reforms, civic moralities and other high and mighty functions that barely relate to nabbing burglars in the night time.

With due respect to the guest, we are convinced that the real hero at tonight's board will be the modest gentleman with a star on his coat, who patrolled the town's corners many's the year, who won his place at the top by patient merit and bids fair to maintain it for some time by the same token, but who never was the recipient of as many flowers as he might have been. Perhaps his quality of earnestness repels rather than attracts floral displays.

This small but fragrant tribute is laid at his plate tonight in the hope that it may in some way balance the honors which seem too likely to shift altogether to the other end of the table.

Possibly on reflection Mr. Stewart will be convinced in the greatness of his soul that there ought to be at least a return banquet to Creecy.

OPEN SEASON FOR ICE TRUSTS.

The recipe for the punishment of a trust is like that for cooking a hare. First catch your trust.

This is what Circuit Attorney Sager has failed to do in the matter of the Ice Trust. The St. Louis combination looked like an Ice Trust. It conducted itself like an Ice Trust. Nearly everybody believed that it was an Ice Trust.

But Mr. Sager, after working on the case for two years or more and after appointing a referee to go out into the jungles and bring in an Ice Trust, dead or alive, is now informed that there is no such thing in these parts. While traces of the Trust were found, the search for the Trust itself was vain.

The open season for Ice Trusts is now approaching, however, and we may be sure that if one is in existence it will make its appearance at the old stand, where it may be found without difficulty.

Members of the old gang in Missouri are indignant because a preacher at Jefferson City indorsed Gov. Folk for Senator in a recent sermon. Some of them are threatening to quit the church. We tremble for the fate of true religion in this State if the time ever comes when the old gang feels that piet" no longer pays.

By outlawing the word "margin" Henry Clews claims that his stock brokerage business hereafter will be brought into line with the President's policies. Buying and selling on the same terms as heretofore, the only difference is in the name that he applies to the transaction, which is "credit." Probably Mr. Roosevelt will find it difficult to credit Mr. Clews with entire sincerity in this matter.

The Hungarian Parliament refused to send condolences to Portugal because "it could not mourn for a King who had abolished constitutional government and established a dictatorship." Assassination, however, does not confine itself to tyrants and Hungary is as likely as any other country to receive attentions from it next.

Three members of the Toledo Ice Trust have been sentenced to Jail for six months. If this sort of example is not calculated to bust trusts, it may be recommended to St. Louis and other cities as calculated at least to render such trusts unpopular.

When Mr. Roosevelt turns up his nose at limburger cheese he provokes a number of staid citizens and voters to turn up their noses at his policies.

Portugal seems to be the only hope of a real Democracy. It has just chased its oldest party leader clear out of the realm.

Count Boni de Cuspidor and Prince Helie de Spittoon make a pretty pair of ornaments.

Thaw is crazy to get out of that asylum, anyway.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

As to Burdens.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

It was said that every English taxpayer carried a Turk on his back. It may be said that every American taxpayer carries a Filipino and a Cuban on his shoulders. IMPERIALIST.

Wash Your Own Dishes.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

"Teller" is a good josher, but he overlooked a bet in his description of the restaurant where you wait on yourself. Customers are expected to do the bookkeeping and wash the dishes. The pantry girls are each charged with the food in the pans before them and are required to return that food or coupons torn from customers' checks. These coupons check up the cash in the desk and show instantly exactly how much of each article was sold for how much money. "Teller" probably went away leaving his dirty dishes on the table. If he is thrifty he will note that hot water is provided and those customers who wash and check in their dishes to the china and silver girls get rebate checks which are equal to cash at the desk. JOHNNY WISE.

Auditor Dierkes' Defense.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Referring to your editorial of last Saturday in the Naughton case, permit me to reply that I delayed certifying the payroll of the House of Delegates for the month of January until the very last moment allowed me under the law. After stating all the facts in the Naughton case to the City Counselor, his answer was, "That under the law, Mr. Naughton was entitled to his salary." Had I, after requesting and receiving the City Counselor's opinion, still refused to certify the payroll, it would not only have been in contempt of his judgment and advice, but it would also have been an act of oppression and injustice to the other employes of the House of Delegates, whose names appeared upon the same payroll, in delaying payment of their salaries due on the first of each month. Then the payroll of the House of Delegates, or of any other department of the city, cannot be partly approved and partly rejected by the fiscal officers of the city. It must be acted upon as a whole, as presented by each department. In your editorial you were pleased to refer to my candidacy for State Auditor, stating that it would be futile to submit the same to the people. In other words, after requesting and receiving the opinion in the Naughton case, and for respecting the same, and abiding thereby, therefore it would be futile in your judgment to submit my candidacy for State Auditor to the people. With due respect for your opinion, I cannot believe that any fair-minded citizen will see it that way. If every chief of a city department were to array his opinion against that of the legal advisor of the city, what a chaotic condition of affairs it would create. BERNARD DIERKES.

THE VALUE OF DISINTERESTED ADVICE.

From One of Lord Chesterfield's Letters to His Son.

Dear Boy: As often as I write to you (and that you know is pretty often) so often am I in doubt whether it is to any purpose, and whether it is not labor and paper lost. This entirely depends upon the degree of reason and reflection which you are master of, or think proper to exert. If you give yourself time to think and have sense enough to think right, two reflections must necessarily occur to you: the one is that I have a great deal of experience and that you have none; the other is that I am the only man living who cannot have, directly or indirectly, any interest concerning you but your own. From which five undeniable principles the obvious and necessary conclusion is that you ought for your own sake to attend to and follow my advice.

If by the application which I recommend to you you acquire great knowledge, you alone are the gainer; I pay for it. If you should deserve either a good or a bad character mine will be exactly what it is now, and will neither be the better in the first case nor the worse in the latter. You alone will be the gainer or the loser.

Whatever your pleasures may be, I neither can nor shall envy you them, as old people are sometimes suspected by young people to do; and I shall only lament if they should prove such as are unbecoming a man of honor, or below a man of sense. But you will be the real sufferer if they are such. As therefore it is plain that I have no other motive than that of affection in whatever I say to you, you ought to look upon me as your best, and for some years to come your only, friend.

True friendship requires certain proportions of age and manners, and can never subsist where they are extremely different, except in the relations of parent and child, where affection on one side and regard on the other make up the difference. The friendship which you may contract with people of your own age may be sincere, may be warm, but must be for some time reciprocally unprofitable, as there can be no experiences on either side. * * *

The only sure guide is he who has often gone the road which you wish to go. Let me be that guide, who have been all roads, and who can consequently point out to you the best. * * *

I would much rather have the assent of your reason to my advice than the submission of your will to my authority. * * *

London, Nov. 24, 1747.

ANOTHER BONANZA



JUST A MINUTE FOR VERSE AND HUMOR.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.

POETIC DEBATE.

Pro.

What a very ordinary
Sort o' month is February!
Only just a few days in it,
Not a swallow nor a linnet;
Not a flower nor a bud,
Only dreary days and mud;
Very vacillating weather,
Wanting beauty altogether;
Nothing worthy of attention,
Sadly lacking in invention,
Scarcely winter-like, and neither
Summer, spring nor autumn either—
What a very ordinary
Little month is February!

How could Washington, respected
Widely, ever have selected
February for the morn in
Which so great a man was born in?
How could Lincoln, great and glory,
Fond of cheer and funny story,
Ever have been happy quite in
Choosing it to see the light in?
Not a bird is singing in it,
Not a bell is ringing in it,
Sad the poets and unwooing,
Deaf the Muse, and nothing doing—
What a very ordinary
Sort o' month is February!

Con.

What an extraordinary
View to take of February!
Valentines, and words of honey,
Lenten fast, and saving money;
Once again the salutary
Fib of Georgie and the cherry;
Once again the tide decrying
Something sinful, which is lying;
Each tomorrow made the dearer,
Bringing spring a little nearer;
Every day a little longer,
And the heart a little stronger;
Spring around the corner waiting,
Greens again, and lovers mating;
Pledge of coming heydays in it,
Five (hooray, boys) paydays in it—
What an extraordinary
View to take of February!

OVERSHADOWED.



A man named Onion has been elected to the Texas Senate. Alas! We already had too many statesmen of the garden variety.

AN ADDRESS BEFORE THE REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

FRIENDS, OVERLORDS AND FELLOW CITIZENS:

You all do know that most of us are renters and lessees,
And that the season is approaching when we all do move. (Curses).
Now, friends—about house hunting and the pursuit of flats:
A vacant home is a very cheerless thing—it is cold—it is uninviting—
It wants light and warmth—and it makes a very bad impression.
(Groans, and cries of "True! True!")
Is it because the premises you advertise are uninhabitable
That the house hunter flees from them as if from a panic? (Sighs).
Is it because they want the modern conveniences—steam heat—or hot and cold—
That the rent sign proclaims to a pitiless world the owner's great distress?
No, friends; they are good homes. (Cheers). The trouble is—they don't look it.
Think, friends: Is that the way to rent a vacant place—to exhibit it cold—
To let people run in and out of it—shivering in it—
Depressed by its bare walls—gloomed by its naked floors?



No, friends; that isn't the way to rent a home. Let me tell you how to do it.
(Cries of "Hear! Hear!")
Set a day for inspection of the premises, and give a house-warming that day.
(Cries of "A good idea!" "Capital!" "How much will it cost?")
Furnish the house for the day—you can make one outfit serve everywhere—
Have it warm, cheerful, lit up—punch in the hall—and music in the alcove.
(Cheers, and cries of "Great!")
Buy flowers! (Murmurs.) Or use artificial flowers. (Cheers.)
Yes, friends; that is the way to rent a vacant place.
Let them come in and see it when it makes a noise like a home—
Feed them something—make them feel at home—like they want to live there.
Take my word for it, all of them will want it—there'll be a fight for it—
You can get a fancy price for it.
(Pandemonium and Exhange yell:
Siss-boom, stand pat!
Get a house rent for a flat!
Get a fortune for a house—
No pay, slow pay—git, heraus!
Razoo-razoo, Johnny blow your bazoo—
Whoop-ee, St. Lou-ee!)
Thanks, friends. (Cries of "We'll do it! "Come again!")

APPRECIATING ALTON.

Thomas Calends, a Greek, has gone to Alton to acquire the English language.

Whoever tipped Thomas off is no bad respecter of communities. The English he will learn at Alton is the same tongue which the Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge labors to establish in the United States Senate. It is not only pure. It is prophylactic. It has been Pasteurized. It contains the requisite proportion of butter fat. A man from Alton is easily known for the English he speaks.

There is a reason for this. Alton lies in the intermediate lingual zone. Her English is not affected by the dialect of the South or the yon-yonsonisms of the North. Alton people do not say "we all," as we all do in St. Louis. They do not append "already," as it is done in Belleville. They do not interlard their conversation with a catarrhal patois, as it is done out at Florissant. Nor do they say "ban" for "been," as it is generally done immediately north of Alton.

The English which Mr. Calends will achieve at Alton will serve him nicely. Among other things, it will be understood if he ever has occasion to visit England.

The deep forests suggested by Gen. Noble as the first step toward deep water have the additional merit of providing tall timber into which Mr. Burton can retreat as soon as he realises that we have him on the run.

BRYAN AT HIS BEST.

From the New York World of Today.

Those privileged last night to hear enforced in Carnegie Hall the old lesson that "Thou shalt not steal" may long remember the experience. It is something to have heard Mr. Bryan at his best.

The World has had occasion to rebuke Mr. Bryan for the recklessness with which he advocates one violent political innovation after another, and it is no convert to the counsel of despair that the Democracy is foreordained to a third defeat with him as its presidential candidate, and that it might as well make up its mind to the inevitable.

But when Mr. Bryan assails iniquity in taxation as "merely a form of larceny;" when he rebukes franchise-enjoying corporations for unwillingness to pay taxes upon the privileges which enrich them; when he returns to the Jeffersonian principle that taxation should not be "collected in proportion to consumption," but in proportion to possessions; when he denounces unregulated monopoly; when he demands an income tax, as the World did in its first issue under the present management, on May 11, 1883, and has since continued to do; when he includes the tariff tax in his condemnation—then the World cordially indorses his stand and calls upon Democrats to consider how he makes these principles effective by courting, not defeat, but victory.

Particularly pertinent is Mr. Bryan's assault upon stock gambling, delivered in a public hall four miles from Wall street, at a time when in this city alone 15 banks, with many branches have closed their doors, locking up nearly $100,000,000 of deposits, because of gambling with trust funds by faithless officials.

Upon this grave national evil the President has strongly spoken in his special message, and Mr. Bryan now adds his powerful voice. There is no politics in the issue. People of all parties should unite in the demand that so far as State and Federal law can accomplish that great reform stock gambling shall be stopped.

NOTES AND QUERIES

Answers to Questions From Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Write but one question. Give but one initial. Legal questions must be simple. No lotteries. Business addresses not given. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch.

L. R.—1904 was a leap year.

F. K.—Phone book stores.

A. B.—Columbus was Italian.

C. W. C.—See Answers Jan. 23.

F. T.—Capital of Greece, Athens.

X.—Wife of Senator Stone not Catholic.

H.—First St. Louis fair, Oct. 18, 1856.

M. K.—Humane Society, 216 North Sixth.

ZUZER—1887 and 1900 not leap years.

E. K.—Apparatus for wireless telegraphy costs $13.

Z.—If your father was naturalized you are a citizen.

GIRL.—Olive oil is often recommended for the hair.

DES.—For checker rules, see Hoyle book, Public Library.

READER.—Swedish Consul, C. A. Ekstromer, 1507 Olive street.

W. H. B.—Deadening f is used to prevent sounds in buildings.

A.—Altitude of El Paso, 3695 to 3762 feet; San Antonio, 657 to 675.

J. N.—Contract with correspondence school or others must be kept.

HELEN.—School officials decline to give the information you ask.

M. R.—If you can't notice that he loves you, he probably doesn't.

DODO.—Give dimes or quarters as prizes in game with pennies.

KROENER. — See Answers of next Sunday. Thank you for dates.

S.—Morris chair may be used in any room. It is not in some parlors.

M.—Anna Held was born in Paris in 1873; we don't know day and month.

AGNES.—Write U. S. Consul, Wm. T. Fee, Bremen, for the information you ask.

A. D.—Boy under age may join the navy, with his parents' written consent.

JAMISON.—Full information at Civil Service, old Postoffice, Third and Olive.

PET.—The State Manual gives no record of the religion of penitentiary inmates.

B.—Debt made by woman before her marriage cannot be collected from her husband.

H. F.—We have no statistics upon which to base such an estimate as you ask.

M. C.—Capt. C. E. Clark commanded the Oregon when she did her feat of sailing.

X.—Writers on the care of the hair often caution their readers not to use fine combs.

J. K. W.—Webster defines seepage as "water that has seeped or oozed through a porous soil."

UNION.—H. L. Gaines, 4368 Garfield avenue, offers to tell you all about organizing unions.

BACHELOR.—Anna Held is married. Edna Wallace Hopper was divorced from De Wolf Hopper.

GROSSMAN.—Slot machine returning nickel if weight is guessed right is not allowed in saloons.

M.—Magazine can collect any subscription that you agreed to pay for any specified time.

S. Q. Z.—Pawnbroker's interest is five per cent a month, but the law allows him only two.

W. H.—Height of Illinois Capitol from ground line to top of dome, 361 feet; to tip of flagstaff, 405.

M. P.—To remove orange stain from silk, try alcohol; then touch with ammonia to restore color.

W. H.—Books in Public Library will give you names of America's leading actresses and musicians.

QUESTIONER.—Letter collected here at 9:30 a. m. Monday would reach Boston at 8:45 p. m. Tuesday.

D. N.—As directions go with a typewriter, you should not find it difficult to learn typewriting at home.

FUNERAL.—Guests are not "welcomed" by anybody at a home in which there has been a death.

ANXIOUS.—Sufficient warning will be given of the time of publication of prize winners of nationalities.

E.—Whatever contract you make with an installment house you must keep. The law forbids usury.

CONSTANT.—You could obtain a weapon permit from the Mayor only and he is not likely to grant one.

E. J.—The "Indian sign" means that you have taken his scalp; that you have "done him up;" that you have the best of him.

R.—Nurses receive no pay in the first year of their training in hospitals. In the second year they may receive $10 or $12 a month.

S.—Ears that get so full of wax as to dull the hearing should be cleaned by a physician once in six months. Never put hairpins in your ears.

BRIGHT EYES.—Not only may his parents forbid a minor to visit a young woman, whether he is engaged or not, but they may spank him if he disobeys.

ANNA.—A young woman should have a chaperone if she wishes to visit a male friend at the City Hospital. In some wards female visitors are not desirable.

H. S.—Poverty, wealth, the tariff, love, marriage, divorce, St. Louis, the Union, currency elasticity and several other subjects for essays might inspire you.

M. M. M.—Pay of soldier in Germany, 5½ cents a day. He pays for his clothing. The prudent young German saves money beforehand to meet his wants while serving his time in the army.

A. B. C.—Without evidence, we doubt the truth of the statement that Gen. Sherman said that because his wife was a member of the Roman Catholic Church he could not be elected President; that is, could not get enough votes to elect.

NIMROD.—We don't know where you could get a truthful report of health conditions in the Panama, some if the Government reports are not so. The only preventive of yellow fever is to keep away from it or kill all the mosquitoes.

B. T.—Cement for marble: Soak plaster of paris in a saturated solution of alum, then bake in oven. Grind the mixture to powder and use as wanted, mixing with water. Can be mixed with coloring minerals for different colors.

CONSTANT.—Peroxide and lanolin are used to bleach the neck. Use the peroxide first by pouring a little in a saucer and applying with a soft linen cloth. After it has been thoroughly dried, rub in the lanolin. This should be done before retiring.

DUNCE.—For grip: Give all the cells of the body the benefit of perfect rest and warmth—patient should go to bed and stay quiet and warm, be kept in a gentle perspiration with warm, light bedclothes, aided by warm drinks and hot-water bags or bottles if needed. Fresh air and uniform temperature are imperative. This, with a soluble powder or two, will put one out of danger and bring an almost complete sense of relief in from two to four days. The grip germ, however, may only be scotched, not killed, and one should be prudent for weeks thereafter. The head symptoms, such as toothache, neuralgia and distressing plugging of the head are best and quickest relieved by sunlight on the sufferer's face, or hot water bag. Scotch whisky is said to paralyse the grip germ to an extent, but in no case should it be taken except in bed, with every surrounding of prudence and temperance and the very last thing at night. The various electric light and high frequency current treatments are good, but not nearly so good as sunlight to relieve every form of grippal pain.

THE NEW YORK WORLD'S "MAP OF BRYANISM" AND BRYAN'S REJOINDER

"TWELVE YEARS OF DEMAGOGY AND DEFEAT"

The World Issues a Pamphlet Showing Exhaustively the Effect of the Nebraskan's Leadership of the Democratic Party—Maps Show How Bryanism Has Deprived His Party of Many States—the Financial Support Given Him in 1896 by the Silver Trust Dealt With—Need of His Elimination as a Candidate Shown.

From the New York World, Tuesday, Feb. 4.

A huge storehouse of fact and argument against the fitness of William Jennings Bryan for the Democratic nomination in the coming presidential campaign is contained in a pamphlet issued by the World yesterday and entitled "Twelve Years of Demagogy and Defeat—An Appeal to Independent Democratic Thought."

There is this Biblical quotation on the first page:

"And every one that was in distress, and every one that was in debt, and every one that was discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them; and there were with him about four hundred men."—I Samuel xxii, 2.

On the pamphlet's cover is the famous map of Bryanism, first printed in the World showing in black the many states carried by the Republican party in 1907, the few Democratic states in white and the territories in gray.

Bryan on Democracy's Power.

As a preface two brief extracts are printed of Mr. Bryan's recent pronunciamentos—his statement of Nov. 14 last announcing his readiness to accept the Democratic nomination and his Chautauqua interview on July 5, 1907. In the former he asserted: "The Democratic party is more united than it has been for many years and the Republican party more divided.' In the latter he said, in part:

"Every proposition for which the Democratic party stood in 1896 has been proved sound, and not a Republican policy but is weaker today than it was then. * * * When has a party in power lost its popularity so rapidly as the Republican party has? And when has a party out of power increased its strength more rapidly than the Democratic party has?"

Under the sub-title, "Twelve Years of Bryanism," the pamphlet says:

"For nearly 12 years, Mr. Bryan, you have been the leader—yes, the dictator—of the Democratic party in the United States. With but one exception, its policies have been your policies; its principles, your principles; its platforms your platforms.

Twelve Years of Defeat.

"After 12 years of such domination, **during which time the party has gone down to three successive national defeats, piling disaster upon disaster and ruin upon ruin, your friends insist not only that you are the most available candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1908, but that you are the only available candidate and you yourself have issued a statement expressing your readiness and willingness to accept the nomination**—a statement, by the way, which your supporters confidently claim has eliminated all other candidates from the field.

"If the Democracy has prospered so greatly under your leadership that the irresistible logic of events compels your nomination again in 1908, that fact ought to be apparent from an impartial inventory of the party's political assets.

"Excepting Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson no other Democrat has dominated his party so long or so completely as you, Mr. Bryan.

"Of the 28 years of Jefferson's active leadership the party was in power 24, of the 16 years of Jackson's active leadership the party was in power 12.

"Under your leadership the party has not been in power a single day, a single hour, a single minute. It has steadily lost ground, until at this time it is almost without force at the North, except in local affairs; it is menaced even at the South, where it lost Kentucky in the last November election.

Still Has Free Silver Delusion.

"You began your domination of the Democratic party in a period of great financial disturbance. You now purpose to be the Democratic candidate for President in another period of great financial disturbance as the nominee of a political party whose reputation for financial sanity you have discredited all over the civilized world. **Not only have you failed to recant as to your past financial heresies, but you have steadfastly adhered to your free silver delusions.** No longer ago than Dec. 7, in a speech at Freeport, Ill., you declare that your financial policy in 1896 has been 'vindicated.'

"For the purpose of demonstrating the error of your assumption more plainly than in words or figures, we print herewith maps of the United States showing the states carried by Democrats and Republicans in the years 1892, 1896, 1900 and 1907:"

Maps Answer Bryan's Question.

The four maps follow. The pamphlet continues:

"These maps speak for themselves. If they do not answer your question, 'And when has a party out of power increased its strength more rapidly than the Democratic party has?' there can be no answer. If they do not answer your assertion that 'the Democratic party is more united than it has been in many years,' there can be no answer.

"The Democratic party went out of power in the nation March 4, 1897. Four years earlier it controlled 23 of the 44 states, the Republicans 17 and the Populists 4.

"In Congress the party division was as follows: Senate—Democrats, 44; Republicans, 38; Independent, 1; alliance, 2; vacancies, 3. House—Democrats, 220; Republicans, 128; Populists, 8.

"The popular vote in 1892 was: Democratic, 5,556,918; Republican, 5,176,108; Populist, 1,041,008 (Weaver, for whom you voted). The electoral vote in the same year was: Democratic, 277; Republican, 145; Populist, 22."

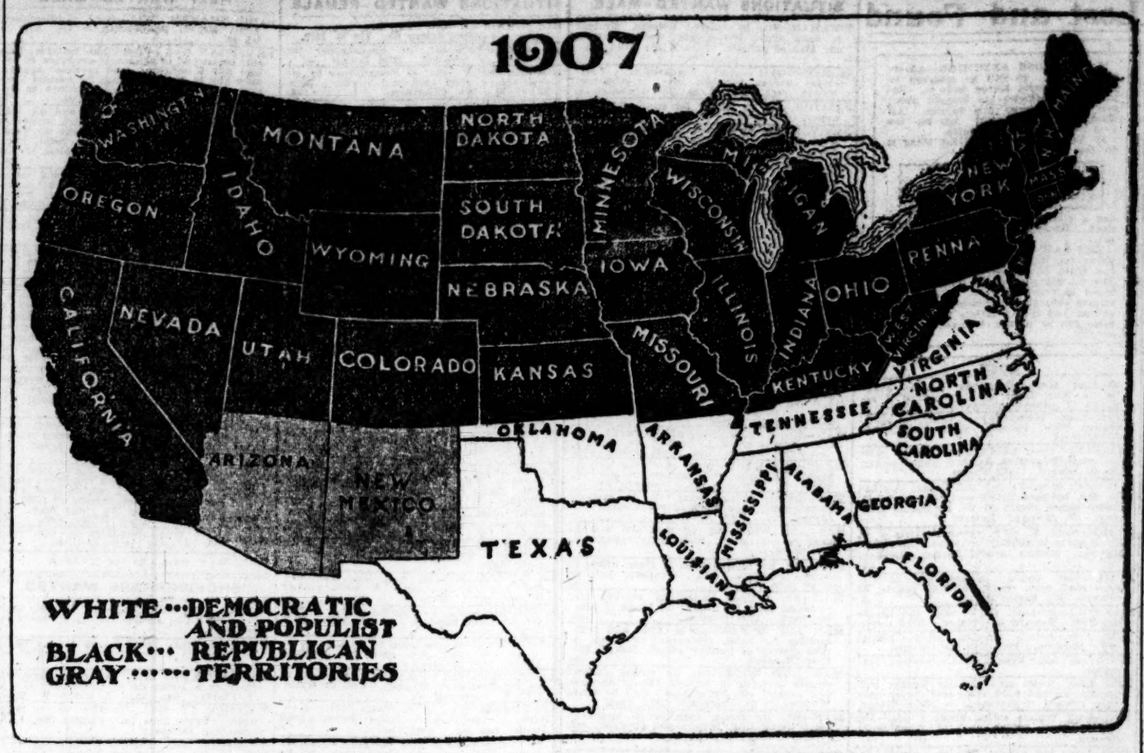
What was the situation Nov. 14, 1907, Mr. Bryan, after 11 years of your leadership when you announced your receptive candidacy?

"Of the 46 states the Democrats controlled 13 and the Republicans 33. The popular vote in the presidential election of 1904 was: Republican, 7,623,486; Democratic, 5,077,971; Socialist, 402,283. The electoral vote was: Republican, 336; Democratic, 140. In Congress the party division now is: Senate—Republicans, 61; Democrats, 31. House—Republicans, 223; Democrats, 168.

Lost United States Senators.

"In 1893 there were Democratic United States senators from California, Illinois, Indiana, Montana, New Jersey, New York, Ohio and Wisconsin. **In 1907 there was not a single anti-Republican Senator from a Northern State except two silver men from Colorado and Nevada respectively.**

The Republicans have gained a Senator not only in Colorado, but in Missouri.



"Whole states at the North are without Democratic representation in Congress, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific, north of the Ohio River, there are but six Democratic governors. Singularly enough, these are all found in states which are normally Republican or Populistic.

"Such today is the condition of the historic Democratic party, Mr. Bryan, after 12 years of your leadership."

Result of Alliance With Populists.

A chapter devoted to "Elections Past and to Come," contains many tables of election figures and an analysis of the results. Two tables deal with the Populistic-Democratic alliance in 1896 and 1900, and the claim that as a result of it Mr. Bryan would carry all the regularly Democratic and doubtful states of the South and East, but would take away from the Republicans 10 or 12 states in the Far West. One table shows that Bryan in 1896 carried 10 Republican-Populist-Silver states in the West with a total electoral vote of 45, but he lost seven Democratic and doubtful states in the East with a total electoral vote of 82. In 1900 he carried but four Republican-Populist Western states with a total of 13 electoral votes, while McKinley carried eight Western Republican-Populist states with 29 electoral votes. The pamphlet then says:

"In 1904, with Judge Parker as the candidate, but with you still the actual leader of the party, every Populist State, every doubtful State and several Democratic states were carried by Mr. Roosevelt.

"In 12 years there was an increase of only 29,000 in the total Democratic vote of New York State, against an increase of 250,000 in the Republican vote. Clearly enough, you cannot possibly carry New York.

"Obviously, if there is to be the slightest prospect of Democratic success next year, there must be a candidate who can carry Democratic and doubtful states, and not appeal merely to the comparatively unimportant Populistic states, which are now, as formerly, safely Republican."

A chapter headed "In the Realm of Populism," first deals with the elections in Nebraska, Mr. Bryan's own State since 1896. In that year the Populist-Democratic vote was 115,880. In 1907 it had dwindled to 77,981. Figures are given of the vote in 10 other states which show a heavy slump in the Populist-Democratic vote.

Bryan and the Silver Trust.

Another chapter, "The Silver Trust," describes the immense mine owning interest behind the free silver campaign of 1896. The pamphlet says:

"The people have been made well acquainted in recent years with the name of the men interested in beef, in oil, in tobacco, in coal, in copper, in iron and steel and in other commodities the production and sale of which is believed to be governed by trusts. **How many of them know or have heard the names of the producers of silver, in whose behalf you, Mr. Bryan, worked as zealously as any trust lawyer ever did for his client?"**

A list of mine owners and mining interests, which contributed $288,000 to the Bryan campaign fund of 1896 is given.

Under the subhead of "The Discredited Prophet" figures obtained from the Bureau of Statistics showing the tremendous growth of the country in all branches of trade, commerce and agriculture, are given in refutation of Mr. Bryan's predictions of continued depression and disaster in event of his defeat in 1896.

Chapters are devoted to Mr. Bryan's attacks on the courts and his two-sided attitude on Imperialism. The pamphlet shows he first proposed Government ownership of railroads on July 21, 1904. Other chapters deal with "The Initiative and Referendum," "Democracy, Populism, Socialism," "Roosevelt and Bryan," "Bartering Democracy for Roosevelt Votes," "Assassinating Tariff Revision" and "Democratic Life or Death."

"You Cannot Be Elected."

In concluding the pamphlet says:

"The vital fact confronting you and the Democratic party is this:

"You cannot possibly be elected.

"Why, then, should you receive the nomination?"

The pamphlet is being sent to all members of Congress and State legislatures, leading Democrats throughout the country, and members of the National and State Democratic committees.

BRYAN RAILS AT WORLD'S "MAP OF BRYANISM"

Says That Author of It Was Maliciously and Intentionally Dishonest in Leaving Out the Vote of 1894, Before He Ran and the Party Lost Badly and That the World Printed Cartoons Adverse to Parker in 1904—Won't Discuss Johnson.

From the New York World of Today.

William Jennings Bryan displayed much heat yesterday when he was shown a copy of the World's pamphlet, "The Map of Bryanism," showing the ravages made upon the Democratic vote during the 12 years of his leadership. He consented to discuss it only upon condition that what he said was published in full, just as he gave it. This is his interview just as dictated by him.

"Have you seen the World's 'Map of Bryanism?'

"I have seen it," replied Mr. Bryan, "but have not had time to examine it. The map, however, is absolutely worthless and gives conclusive proof of the deliberate, intentional and malicious dishonesty of the man who prepared it and the paper that published it. It begins with 1892 and omits the congressional election of 1894. In that election of 1894, which was held while Mr. Cleveland was President and while the World had some influence as an adviser in the party, and in that election the Republican majority on the congressional candidates was larger than it was in either 1896 or 1900, and the Republican majority in Congress was larger as a result of that election than it was as a result of 1896 and 1900. Now, an honest man would not overlook that election in preparing a map. The fact that it is overlooked is conclusive proof that the map was prepared for the purpose of deceiving the readers of the World. The World will not accuse me of being the leader of the Democratic party at that time, and yet the party suffered a more disastrous defeat than it suffered in either of the campaigns in which I was a candidate.

"I noticed in this morning's World that it accounts for defeat in 1904 by saying: 'In 1904, with Judge Parker as a candidate, but with you—meaning Mr. Bryan—still actual leader of the party, every Populist state, every doubtful state, and several Democratic states, were carried by Mr. Roosevelt.'

"Now, is it fair to charge up the defeat of 1904 to my leadership when the party allowed the World to select the candidate that year, and give him its bolsterous advice each day during the campaign, and if I was the leader in 1904, in spite of the fact that the World selected the candidate, how can the World prevent my being the leader this year, even if it is allowed to select the candidate again? How can I get out of the responsibility of leadership if I could not escape after I was boldly repudiated, according to the World, in 1904? If the World wants to be fair, why doesn't it publish a map of the country showing the party vote in 1894 and another map showing the vote in 1904, and thus inform the public that the party fared better in 1896 and in 1900 than in either the congressional campaign before I ran or the national campaign after I ran?

"There is an honest way of fighting political battles, but the World prefers the dishonest way. If I want to find a reason for the defeat of Judge Parker, why don't I say that the World contributed to his defeat and received money from the Republican Campaign Committee for doing so? At least, I assume that the advertising space that the World sold the national committee the Sunday before the elections was paid for and was not gratuitously given by the World to the Republican party as the World's contribution."

"Don't you believe that many of your followers failed to vote for Judge Parker because they understood you were not enthusiastic for him?"

"A great many people failed to vote for Judge Parker, and I have not had time to consult all of them personally since election to see why. But I did what I could to secure votes for him, and he not only appreciated my services during the campaign, but he called upon me the first time I came to New York after the campaign. I was opposed to his nomination for reasons which I gave, but when he was nominated I did all that was within my power to secure his election and there was not enough money in the Republican campaign to buy one inch of space in the Commoner to use against him, and I shall not allow my loyalty in that campaign to be questioned by a paper that will claim to be the discoverer of a candidate and will then, for a pecuniary consideration, sell its pages for a cartoon that was as abusive of the candidate as language could have been."

"What do you think of the availability of Gov. Johnson of Minnesota as the Democratic candidate for President?"

"The greatest objection I have heard to him is that The World considers him a fit man, and I think that its support is an unfair reflection upon him."

"Outside of The World's support, what do you think of him?"

"I will not discuss him, just as I have not discussed the availability of other candidates suggested."

"What answer have you to make to The World's question: 'What states can you carry in 1908 that you failed to carry in 1896?'"

"I am not discussing any candidacy and am under no obligation to name the states that might be carried by a Democratic candidate. Let The World deal with facts and give some evidence to convince the country it is wiser now than when it picked out a candidate in 1904. The World is asserting that it knows how the party can win. It asserted that in 1904. Unless it has proof that it has the greater wisdom now or greater interest in the party than it had when it sold its pages to the Republicans, it ought not to expect Democrats to give it's opinions much weight.

"And now you may add a question from me: The World telegraphed me and asked me to name the special interests which it represented. I answered asking The World to state editorially what financial interest, if any, Mr. Pulitzer of The World had in the stocks and bonds of railroads or in the corporations generally known as trusts. This information would enable me to answer his question more fully. The question had not been answered when I left home. When The World advises the Democratic party, the party ought to be in position to know just what pecuniary interests The World or its owner has in the questions which The World discusses."

"Would ownership of railroad stocks or bonds disqualify anyone from advising on public questions?"

"His ownership of stocks and bonds of railroads or predatory corporations would not disqualify him for discussing questions, but if the public knows just what his financial interests are, it can better judge what weight to give to his editorials."

"Can you account for the discrepancy between the Democratic strength of 1892 and 1907?"

"If you will commence with 1894 you will find that we have a gain to account for and not a loss."

In reply to the question as to whether he considered business conditions satisfactory, Mr. Bryan replied that he did not think business conditions suited anyone at the present time. Asked if he expected an improvement if the Democrats carried the election this fall, he replied in the affirmative. Asked to give his reasons, Mr. Bryan said:

"I think there will be a restoration of confidence, because there will be a return to honest Government and to legislation in behalf of the whole country and not in behalf of the favored few."

The Republican party, he said, had destroyed confidence.

"It sold the Government to the highest bidder and has been delivering the goods, and the result is that the exploiting enterprises was carried so far that they broke down of their own weight. Our present panic, which came in the midst of plenty, started in Wall street and spread throughout the country. It began with the floating of watered stock and continued because the Republican leaders have so tied the country to Wall street that your gambling transactions on the Stock Exchange and Board of Trade affect the whole country."

ALUMINUM MONEY.

From the New York Press.

"Don't take any iron dollars." "Don't take any flannel money, it might shrink," and other flippant warnings may now be made to read, "Don't take aluminum money." Such coin does exist, and it bears the stamp of the royal mint of England. Altogether 21,972,134 of these pieces were struck last year—half cents for use in Uganda and one-tenth of a penny pieces for the Nigerian protectorates. In those regions the new fractional coinage will gradually take the place of the little shells known as cowries, whose value fluctuates and is variable according to the accessibility or remoteness of the African regions where they circulate.

THE NEW EAST LYNNE

Written Expressly for the Post-Dispatch By Clara Morris.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS

Dr. Philip Keith, grandson of the famous archaeologist, Prof. Galbraith Keith, marries beautiful Daphne Cuyler, whom turk Belden, a wealthy profligate, coveted. Olive Marr, the doctor's ward and stepdaughter of his cousin, loves Philip. She lives in his home, being an orphan. The doctor neglects his wife for his profession and for Mme. Allingham, whom Daphne learns through an anonymous letter. She is feeling his neglect and is aware of the wreck of her happiness. Belden has become a family friend. In a crisis brought on by a public disclosure of Dr. Keith's warm feeling toward Olive, Daphne hysterically flies from home bent on suicide. Belden manages to get possession of her and calms her hysteria with a narcotic. He takes her to Montreal before she awakes. He is attacked by a heart trouble after she awakens and she escapes from his clutches. She is hurrying back to her children when a railroad accident occurs and she is injured, and on recovering consciousness has an knowledge of her identity. Mme. Varide, whom Daphne found ill on the train and tended, is mangled and killed and Daphne's ring and gold arab bracelet given Daphne by Prof. Keith being found with Mme. Varide. It is believed that Daphne is dead, and she is buried by the Keiths under that name. Daphne, under the name of Mrs. Varide, obtains the place as governess of her own children and in spite of her disguise is recognized by Prof. Keith, who agrees to keep her secret.

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CHAPTER XV.

Disguised.

By chance Mme. Varide had been given for her own use the room formerly occupied by Olive Marr and a rear chamber had been arranged for a schoolroom. And when in October, Dr. and Mrs. Keith had returned from their brief trip to the mountains, they had found Mme. Varide two days established, the program of alternating studies and pleasures complete, and lessons already begun.

Olive Keith had given her a somewhat patronizing welcome, after an illbred demonstration of shocked sympathy anent her disfigurement.

The doctor had been so over occupied in his efforts to catch up with his neglected work, that two or three days passed before he had personally met face to face the children's governess. Then he came upon her in the rather dark hall as she was passing from the schoolroom. He halted one step from the top of the stairs, as he saw the weirdly old-fashioned figure. Extending his hand in greeting, he lifted his eyes to her face, and straightaway all the doctor in him rushed to the fore; he saw only with professional eyes yielding unqualified admiration to the surgical tour de force before him.

"By Jove!" he thought, "the man who stitched those gashes, that severed brow and lid, yet saved the eye's sight, was a mighty surgeon before the Lord!"—and from that time, the teacher of his children interested him only as a wonderful surgical exhibit.

The old man Keith had looked forward with dread to that first meeting, and when it was over he had said:

"I cannot eat—I cannot sleep, for dread of an explosion!"

And madam had entreated.

"Do not distress yourself, sir. You have no need. If discovery comes I shall never betray your complicity—never! It is my life that has become one long nightmare of dread, lest I lose the joy of seeing my darlings; the bliss of touching of their thrice blessed young bodies; the pride of opening their young minds and arousing an intelligent curiosity about the world and about men and things. Therefore be calm, professor, I only ask your silence now."

It was surprising to see how quickly Madame had won the children's liking, for truth to tell she worked them hard, but she was such a delightful playmate, devised such splendid games. They played nearly everything they studied, as when they drew a map of Australia in the wide soft path of the park, madame was ready to be the native black bushman overpowered by the English settlers. She was also ever ready to be a defeated army or a condemned spy, or a treacherous Indian, leaving all the fine heroic parts for May and Philip.

On the two or three occasions, when she had perforce spoken to old Louise Clutterbuck, that ancient serving woman had stared so confusedly, listened so intently to her voice, seeming all the time in such mental maize, that madame felt discretion to be the better part of valor, and had avoided further speech with the old cook, who had faithfully served her from bridehood days to the last one of a wrack and ruin, and headlong flight.

All one day an icy rain had fallen, and the half-holiday had been spent in the schoolroom and the old-fashioned house being generously furnished forth with real fireplaces, that had never been dishonored by the presence of the hpyocritical gas log, there was still a red glow of hot coals in the grate, in front of which sat Mme. Varide toasting on a long knitting needle a last bit of marshmallow for Philip's greedy, small mouth—when the professor should have ended the tale of olden time he was telling, while the boy leaned against his knee and May strung beads at the window.

A gale of laughter, escaping from the partly open door, reached to the ears of Dr. Keith, who was on his way to his room to change wet garments for dry ones, and he paused, and looked in. 'Twas as Madame held the toasted morsel high, out of his reach, demanding first of the lad how much he could remember of the professor's story.

"Oh, I remember all!" he cried, fairly jumping up and down from eagerness. "I remember the pretty queen, fighting-lady, with all the armies"——

"And the great engraved emeralds and peacock fans and Nubian girls waving them," added May.

"And," suggested Madame, "their great engine of attack what was that called?"

Philip looked troubled. "May," he fretted, "what is that word? Hurry, please!"

"Was it a catapult?" she answered.

"Yes, yes, that was it!" he cried triumphantly. "A thing they threw cats with!"

Amid shouts of laughter, great dad himself gurgling and chuckling, he commended: "Give him the sweet morsel—he has fairly won it!"

And the unseen watcher at the door muttered.

"By Joe! this is the pleasantest spot in the house! If it wasn't so infernally damp I'd slip in and share the fun. A thing they threw cats with—mighty effective ammunition. Good Lord! hear the old man! He'll choke if he goes on like that!" And he passed on to his own room.

The doctor had found Olive in a state of nervous irritation, and as damp and cold he ransacked the bureau for fresh garments, she exclaimed.

"Philip, don't you think it is time for you to exert a little authority in this house?"

"I don't know why," he answered indifferently. "I have supposed that you ruled supreme here and ordered your household after the manner of other housekeepers, without calling on a husband for assistance."

"But this creature that"——

"What creature? There are four women in service here, and each one possesses a name of her own."

"You know very well I refer to the governess. She claims entirely too much authority over our children. She grows too pressing, too dogmatic, too magisterial. Why, she has actually challenged my right to their obedience."

He looked at her with a quizzical expression.

"Olive, you can give a very clever twist to a sentence. How much better than right to their obedience' sounds than 'my right to their uniformed regular services as messengers' at any hour, and lessons go hang?"

He came over and pinched his wife's sullen under lip. "Don't quiet the cat on your back," he teased. "I'll put a boy in buttons on the door and he can act as your special messenger. And, by the way, stir up some one downstairs. The brasses out in front positively make the house look dingy. Good heavens, will you listen to that rain! I'll go down and chum a bit with grandad till dinner is ready."

"If he can leave so long the woman with the double-face who so charms him."

The doctor turned, looked steadily at her an instant. "By Jove! for pure, unadulterated venom, commend me to a jealous woman."

That night Mme. Varide listened long at the communcating door between her room and that of the children. Unknown to any servant she had placed the key on her side, and so all her days of work, nervous strain and sickening dread were gloriously crowned at night by the passionate delight of a softfooted stolen visit to the young sleepers in the twin beds, standing side by side. The dear delight of smoothing the coverings, the rapture of touching little hands and brows, of kneeling and feeling their clean sweet breathing against her cheek, while she prayed for God's grace to keep them sweet and strong, to love His word and do His will.

But this night a slight feverish cold and great excitement over a promised gift of sword and military cap and sash for the coming week and so stimulated the imagination of the impressionable Philip that he could not sleep till long after his usual hour and much coughing, many drinks and two rather drowsy stories from May.

And then at last when she had ventured in and just able to press between the beds, had stretched an arm across the little bed, she laid her hand far and straight upon the doctor's. For the moment it seemed that she must die of terror. Her eyeglasses were off, her hair was loose—nothing could save her, if he made a light. Presently she heard him saying, very low:

"Did his coughing disturb you?"

"I was not disturbed, no—but a little anxious lest he be oppressed in the breathing, or—or a little feverish, and so throw off the covering—if you—if you will pardon me taking the liberty, Monsieur le docteur!" she whispered.

"Quite right," he answered, "and thank you for your solicitude, Madame. But go and take your rest now—there is no cause for anxiety," and she had slipped back to her own room, and, without a thought of her unlocked door, had fallen limply into a chair, extended her arms upon the table and dropped her head upon them.

Then—great heaven!—the door began to move, cautiously, steadily—it opened revealing Cluttenbuck, with bandaged face, and a red petticoat, shawlwise about her nightgowned shoulders.

"Mrs. Varide, ma'am," she whispered hoarsely." Have you any toothache drops, or"—she stopped—she gazed at that immovable figure, that mass of hair, that unforgotten face, those sapphire eyes—gazed and was mute. Then suddenly gave forth a piercing scream, that might have roused the dead.

"A ghost! a ghost! Oh, holy mother, save me from the ghost!"—and thrusting out her arms defensively, she shrank nearer to the floor.

"For heaven's sake silence," pleaded Daphne. "Clutterbuck! Louise! you used to love me once!"

"The mistress's ghost!" the woman gasped.

"Clutterbuck, touch me—feel my hands. There, am I not alive?" She heard doors opening. "Oh, for heaven's sake! for the children's sake, be silent!" She caught up the false front, tied it swiftly in place, twisted her spreading locks into a knot, and thrust one pin through it, then began to arrange her headdress, she fitting a small shawl over her head, the point falling on her forehead, the corners brought about her still perfect throat.

Dr. Keith was the first one on the threshold. "What's the matter? Who gave that scream? What are you doing here, Clutterbuck?"

The woman was ghastly; her eyes were terrified. In an agony of fear madame stooped down and took her hand. She pressed it gently and spoke for her.

The doctor raised the woman to a chair.

"This is not all toothache," he remarked. "She has had a shock. What was she screaming at?"

"That was of the imagination," answered madame, apogetically. "She saw—that is, she thought she saw—something in the moonlight, that"——

"I saw a ghost truly, doctor," gasped Clutterbuck. "Oh, God, be good to all in this house!"

"Whose ghost?" asked Olive Keith.

But the old woman looked sullenly at her:

"A ghost's a ghost. Never mind the name."

"Grandad," said the doctor, "send these women up to their rooms again. See here, Clutterbuck, you've been putting too much brandy in the sauces and pies—that's where your ghost comes from. What brought you here to this room, if you were sick?"

"I went to your room, sir, but all was black and quiet, and, seeing a light under Mrs. Varide's door, I thought I would ask her for some drops, or something, and not disturb you, sir."

"Oh, all right! wait here while I run downstairs for something to ease that pain."

For the moment the two women were alone.

"Thank you," whispered Daphne. "Oh, thank you for your silence, Clutterbuck."

That honest creature rocked back and forth distressedly and groaned:

"Why are you here in these duds? Puttin' yerself on a footin' with servants? Is it because of your spoiled face? Why, all the body of yer is as lovely as a marble figure. And your hair is a crown of glory! Put on your own clothes and claim yer rights! And turn down the treacherous young cat that tried for yer place long before yer left it!"

"No, Clutterbuck, you do not understand. I do not mean to trouble anyone, if I am left alone. Only, Louise, I could not live without the sight of my children. I was almost mad with longing, before this chance came to me!"

A new thought had come to Clutterbuck that brought a scowl to her face.

"A—and what 'come-by-chance' was it that I followed to the grave, ma'am, or was it an empty box I shed my tears on?"

"No, Clutterbuck, do not grudge the tears you shed. You followed to the grave in good and worthy woman and had found the world beautiful but very hard and cruel. God rest her soul!"

"Amen," answered the serving woman, and stopped speaking at Daphne's gesture of warning at an approaching step.

It was the doctor with a poultice in one hand, and a calming draft in the other. "Come, old lady, get back to your room. And after you take this nightcap, we'll clap on this poultice—it is own sister to the one that half-cooked you a month ago. And you go easy on the cooking brandy, or you'll be seeing worse things than ghosts. Livelier things, and more of them! Goodnight, Madame Varide. I hope that this time you may get a chance to rest."

The two out of the room, Madame locked the door, and as she faced about she saw the opposite door was ajar. With wildly beating heart, she approached, and in the aperture, holding hard to the doorknob, stood little May, her small face gleaming white from the dark clouding hair, her blue eyes wide and wild.

"My God—for how long?" agonized the woman, as she opened her arms to the silent figure that sprang to her, wrapping slender arms about her neck, while all the slim body shook aspenlike.

And seeing the light in the wide eyes growing brighter and ever brighter, the woman asked herself, "Is this fright or—rapture?"

She asked no question; only led the child back to her bed, and knelt caressing her to calmness and to sleep.

"That at last, in her own rooms, as she laid her weary head upon the pillow, she asked again, "How long, my God, how long had she been standing there?"

(TO BE CONTINUED IN THE POST-DISPATCH TOMORROW).

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DEATHS.

BIRKENBACH—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 5 a. m., after a lingering illness, Ewald J. Birkenbach, beloved husband of Marceline Birkenbach (nee Meixner) and brother of Emilia Von der Fehr (nee Birkenbach) and Ingo Birkenbach, at the age of 33 years.
Funeral from residence, 2217 Sidney street, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (c)

BOEHM—On Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 5 p. m., Ernst Henry Boehm, relict of Maria Carolina Boehm and dear father of Edward, Julius and Junetta Boehm, in his seventy-third year.
Funeral from residence, 2843 South Thirteenth street, on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery.
Belleville (Ill.) papers please copy. (3c)

ENGLAND—Entered into rest at Hematite, Mo., on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 10:50 a. m., Elizabeth England (nee Waggener), relict of James M. England, at the age of 67 years and 1 month, mother of Alice, J. R., R. E., Lettie, J. W. and W. R. England and Mrs. Maggie Irwin, Mrs. Florence Weaver and Mrs. Minnie Humphrey (nee England).
Funeral at Hematite, Mo., Thursday, 2 p. m.

GODDARD—On Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, George F. Goddard, son of the late Elbridge Goddard.
Funeral from the family residence, 1020 Chouteau avenue, Friday, Feb. 7, at 2 p. m. Interment private. (c)

IRELAND—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 6:30 a. m., after a lingering illness, Mathilda J. Ireland, at the age of 60 years, dearly beloved mother, mother-in-law and grandmother of Laura Bappert (nee Ireland), Ada Reynolds (nee Ireland) and Cynthia Johnson (nee Ireland).
Funeral will take place Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., from Lafayette Park Undertaking Co.'s funeral parlors, 1609 Lafayette avenue.
Detroit (Mich.) papers please copy. (c)

KIRCHER—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, at 7 o'clock a. m., Edward J. Kircher, beloved husband of Annie Kircher and father of Louis, Josie, Margaret, Robert, Victor and Eddie Kircher and Mrs. Patrick Callanan.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1805 Madison street. Due notice of time will be given. (c)

KLEYBOECKER—Entered into rest on Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 5 a. m., after a short illness, Johanna C. Kleyboecker (nee Block), beloved wife of William Kleyboecker and dear mother of Johanna Knickel (nee Kleyboecker), George E., Hugo H. and Ida J. Kleyboecker, and our dear sister, aged 52 years.
The funeral will take place from family residence, 4119 Chouteau avenue, on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. (c)

KNAPP—Entered into rest at his home in Kirkwood, after a lingering illness, Shepard Knapp, eldest son of the late George and Eleanor McCaston Knapp, aged 62 years.
Due notice of funeral later.

KOTHE—Entered into rest Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 12 p. m., Christine Kothe (nee Hesse), dear beloved wife of Henry Kothe, mother-in-law of Elizabeth Kothe (nee Alexander), grandmother of Henry Kothe, after a lingering illness, aged 83 years and 6 months.
Funeral Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1 p. m., from residence, 1610 Ohio avenue, to Evangelical St. Paul's Church, Ninth street, near Lafayette avenue.

LANGE—On Feb. 4, 1908, at 4:10 a. m., John H. Lange, dearly beloved husband of Josie Lange (nee Morgan) and father of Martha, Anna and Carl Lange, after a short illness, aged 57 years and 3 months.
Funeral from family residence, 325 West Tesson street, on Thursday, Feb. 6, 1908, at 2 p. m. (c)

LAUMANN—Vera Laumann, beloved daughter of George and Louisa Laumann (nee Fricker), sister of Ella, Clara, Lydia and Arthur Laumann, Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 8:35 p. m., after a short illness, at the age of 7 years 10 months and 9 days.
Funeral from residence, 3001 McNair avenue, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m. Interment private.
Chicago and Genoa (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

LUNKENHEIMER—Entered into rest on Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 9:45 p. m., William Lunkenheimer, aged 78 years, dear father of Joseph and William Lunkenheimer and Mrs. Frank Glawb.
Funeral Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., from William F. Paschedag's funeral rooms, 2821 North Grand avenue, (West Side).

McGRORY—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 6 a. m., Mrs. Maggie McGrory, beloved wife of George McGrory, at the age of 41 years.
Funeral from Charles F. Bergesch undertaking parlor, corner Sixth and Carr streets, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. Friends respectfully invited. (c)

McGUIRK—On Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 4:40 p. m., Ann McGuirk, beloved wife of the late Matthew McGuirk and mother of the late Phelim O'Toole and Mrs. Robert E. Hemp and sister of John J. O'Brien.
Funeral will take place from the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. O'Toole, 2404 Bacon street, on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (3c)

MASON—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 5:30 p. m., Mary E. Mason (nee Hibbard), dearly beloved mother of Arthur S. Mason, mother-in-law of Amelia F. Mason (nee Lauer), and dear grandmother of Bessie, Roy and Julius Mason and sister of Clara M. Young, after a brief illness, aged 75 years 2 months and 26 days.
Funeral will take place on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 3011 McNair avenue, to New Pickers Cemetery.
Milwaukee, Mukwonago and Troy (Wis.) papers please copy. (c)

MAUS—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, at 12:40 a. m., Mrs. G. M. Maus (nee Zimmer), beloved wife of George M. Maus and dear mother of Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Brenton, Mrs. James, Mrs. Riebley, Mrs. Dicus, Charles and John Maus, at the age of 58 years.
Funeral Thursday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 a. m., from residence, 2518A University street. Interment at Jefferson City, Mo. (c)

MUHS—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 1:20 a. m., after a lingering illness, at the age of 73 years 11 months, William Muhs, father of Mrs. Albert Kessler (nee Muhs), Mrs. Minnie Wiese (nee Muhs), Mrs. Dora Boehner (nee Muhs) and William Muhs Jr.
Funeral Thursday at 1:30, from residence of Mrs. Minnie Wiese, 3840 Ohio avenue, to Picker's Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

MURPHY—On Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, at 2:40 a. m., Hugh Murphy, beloved husband of Helen Murphy and dear father of Frank B., the late Charles B., Edward, Hugh, Emmet, Paul and Hazel Murphy and Mrs. J. W. Williams, after a brief illness, in the seventy-first year of his age.
Funeral from family residence, 2009 California avenue. Notice of time will be published in Thursday's papers.
Huntsville (Mo.) papers please copy.

PAHLMAN—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 12 m., William F. Pahlman, beloved brother of August Pahlman, at the age of 61 years 4 months and 12 days.
Funeral from Louis Speilbrink's funeral parlors, 1317 Franklin avenue. Due notice of time will be given.

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DEATHS.

MURPHY—Entered into rest Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, at 4 o'clock a. m., William Murphy, beloved husband of the late Catherine Murphy and father of Charles J. Murphy, Mrs. William R. Grant, Mrs. William Frank and Mrs. Lewis F. Schwabe.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1113 North Eighteenth street, on Friday, Feb. 7, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

OTTING—On Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, John B. Otting, beloved husband of Katie Fitzgerald Otting.
Funeral Friday at 1:30 p. m., from parents' home, 713 Russell avenue.

PARKER—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 8 o'clock a. m., Katie Parker (nee Broderick), wife of Henry Parker, oldest daughter of Thomas and Mary Broderick, sister of Lilly, Irene, Patrick, Thomas and Willie Broderick and Mrs. M. Leguerrie and Mrs. M. O'Dowd, aged 26 years.
Funeral will take place Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 o'clock p. m., from residence, 4597 Maffitt avenue, to Visitation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited. (c)

RING—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1908, at 4 p. m., after a lingering illness, Richard Ring, beloved husband of Elizabeth Ring (nee Pitzmaan) and our dear father and grandfather, aged 71 years.
The funeral will take place from family residence, 2265 Old Manchester road, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. (c)

SAUM—Jacob Saum, on Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 5:30 p. m., aged 53 years.
Funeral Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., from residence, 6006 Arthur avenue. Friends invited to attend.

SEHNERT—On Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1908, at 3 a. m., Minnie Sehnert (nee Neurmann), beloved wife of August Sehnert, mother of John A. and Edward A. Sehnert, our dear sister, sister-in-law and daughter-in-law.
Funeral from residence, 4112 Pleasant street, Friday, Feb. 7, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. (c)

SOMMER—On Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, at 11:30 p. m., Dorothy Sommer, beloved daughter of Joseph N. and Hermine Sommer and sister of Cecilia Sommer, aged 5 years 3 months and 7 days.
Funeral Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 2215 Mississippi avenue, to SS. Peter and Paul's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

TENFELDER—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 1:15 a. m., Emilia Tenfelder (nee Laker), beloved wife of George J. Tenfelder and mother of Kate, George Jr., Rush and Johnnie Tenfelder, at the age of 29 years 3 months and 11 days, at residence, 1624 North Fourteenth street.
Due notice of funeral will be given later.
Victor (Colo.), Chicago and Nashville (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

WALLS—Entered into rest on Feb. 5, at 4 a. m., Lydia B. Walls, beloved wife of William Walls, in her 90th year.
Funeral from residence of her son, 2725 North Taylor avenue, at 1:30 p. m., Thursday, Feb. 6. Burial private.

WEIR—On Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 8 a. m., John Weir, beloved son of Don J. and Elizabeth A. Weir, aged 3 months.
Funeral from residence, 3921 Blaine avenue, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Calvary Cemetery; private.
Chicago and New York papers please copy.

WESTHERMANN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 7 p. m., Fredereka Westhermann, beloved wife of the late Henry L. Westhermann and our dear mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and mother-in-law, after a short illness, in her eighty-second year.
Funeral from family residence, 1434 Madison street. Due notice of funeral later.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kansas City, St. Louis & Chicago Railroad Co., for the election of nine directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Carleton Building, Sixth and Olive streets, St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, March 10, 1908, at 9 a. m.
E. F. SWINNEY, President.
Attest: D. BOWES, Secretary.
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Lost and Found

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LOST.

BAG—Lost, large silver bag, Sunday evening, in West End; suitable reward if returned to address engraved on same.

BOOK—Lost, Wednesday morning, a specification book; reward. John Small, 5705 Connecticut.

BRACELET—Lost, child's gold bracelet, Sunday, on Bellefontaine, Sarah or Suburban car. Liberal reward. 1423 Farrar.

CAP—Lost, fireman's cap and badge, pipeman No. 489, between Biddle and Carr on 3d st. Finder please return to No. 26 Engine Company. W. Noonan. Reward.

CHARM—Lost, K. of P. charm; initials E. S. W. on back; in vicinity of Delmar and King's highway. Return to 5067 Delmar. Reward. (4)

COMB—Lost, Sunday, a gold-mounted tortoise shell back comb, set with pearls; $5 reward. 102 Rialto Bldg. (4)

DOG COLLAR—Lost, dog's collar and license No. 2980. Reward is returned. 4114 Grove.

DOG—Lost, brown spaniel, blind; license 451. Return to 3109 Bell av.; reward.

DOG—Lost, male French poodle; reward. 1414 Aubert.

DOG—Lost, white and brindle female bull terrier; marked with three-leaf clover near tail; reward if returned to 1920A Bacon.

DOG—Lost, female collie, about 1 year old. Finder please return to 4447 Washington. Reward.

DOG—Lost, big yellow English mastiff, female, wore harness with several licenses attached; liberal reward if returned to 800 Market st.

DOG—Lost, Boston terrier, right side of head brown, left side white, white breast; license No 1295; please return to 20 Westmoreland pl. and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, small white female poodle dog, 1907 license No. 17,737; answers to the name of Topsy. Return and receive reward. 4907 N. Broadway.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, at the Odeon, Saturday evening, in seat EE27, pair of eyeglasses. Return to W. C. Morris, Buckingham Hotel; reward. (3)

FURS—Lost, set of furs, taken by mistake, Monday evening; was a gift; kindly return and receive reward. Central Dancing Academy.

GLOVE—Lost, left-hand sheep's wool glove, on Market st.; finder return 103 N. 10th; reward. (c)

GLOVE—Lost, 1 blue silk glove, Sunday, around the owner of Minnesota and Cherokee. Please return to 4445 Minnesota.

HANDBAG—Lost, Tuesday evening, between 3001 Spring av. and 3653 Dodier, beaded handbag, containing purse, change, etc., etc. Return to 3653 Dodier and receive reward.

NECKPIECE—Lost, neckpiece of brown fur; describe or return to 5251 Westminster; reward. (4)

PIN—Lost, Feb. 1, lady's round gold monogram pin, L. M. L. 5328 Page; reward.

PURSE—Lost, purse, containing money and keys, on 6th and Washington; reward. 2820 McNair.

PURSE—Lost, red purse, containing about $8, around 6th and Washington av. Return to 2759 St. Vincent and receive reward. (c)

PURSE—Lost, silver purse, containing lady's watch, Tuesday night on Suburban car or near Olympic Theater; reward. Aller, 208 Globe-Democrat Bldg.

PURSE—Lost, small purse; finder may keep contents, but return child's ring; additional reward also. 1410 Blair av., Nolte's Grocery.

SATCHEL—Left in car of Southern R. R. train, arriving Union Staton last Monday evening about 7:30, hand satchel, containing money, checks, trinkets, etc. Suitable reward if returned to 1531 Carr st.

SCARF—Lost, brown squirrel scarf, Saturday evening on Eads av. or Louisiana, near Eads. Reward if returned to 3305 Eads av. (4)

SHOPPING BAG—Lost, small leather shopping bag, left in toilet room Barr's, Tuesday, between 3 and 4 o'clock. Will finder return cardcase, eyeglasses and letters to owner, retaining purse and contents? Box O 83, Post-Dispatch.

UMBRELLA—Lost, umbrella; will party who took umbrella by mistake (monogram K. R.) at Queen's Daughter's euchre kindly phone Central 2951, 1943 St. Louis.

Employment Wanted

MALE

ATTORNEY—Young attorney wants employment afternoons, evenings or at night; references first-class. Box R 5, P.-D. (3)

BAKER—Sit. as foreman on cakes; A1. Box T 161, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BAKER—Sit. by young married man as 2d hand baker; sober and steady; call or write. F. L., 1346 Elliot av.

BOOKKEEPER—Position by young man of 26 as bookkeeper or office assistant; can furnish best of refs. Box R 107, P.-D. (7)

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. of any kind, willing to be generally useful; understand bookkeeping and shorthand; good reference; moderate salary. Ad. 3150 Iowa.

BOOKKEEPER—Position as assistant bookkeeper or clerical work; good penman; can furnish best of refs. Box T 140, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Position as bookkeeper or credit man, by experienced office man, employed at present; desires to make a change. Box R 23, Post-Dispatch. (3)

BOY—Position by bright country boy of 17 in grocery; experience and ref. Ad. Box 47, St. Jacob, Ill. (3)

BOY—Sit. by German boy; 2 years' experience in English and German typesetting and job pressfeeding. Ad. 103 N. Channing av., 3d floor. (3)

BUTCHER—Sit. by good butcher and meatcutter; not afraid of work. J. Schreiner, 2811 Benton.

CARPENTER—Sit. by carpenter, experienced finisher and repairer; reasonable; nonunion. Paul Reece, 1383A Hodiamont. (6)

CARPENTER—Sit. by first-class nonunion carpenter; best references. 3751A Cote Brilliante av. (4)

CARPENTER—Sit. by nonunion carpenter, with wholesale or factory; reasonable wages; good workman. Carpenter, 1947A Hodiamont.

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by colored chauffeur from South; good refs. 2632A Walton. Luther Mitchell.

CHAUFFER—Sit. by chauffer for expenses till summer; competent, trustworthy and familiar with late constructions. Box J 194, Post-Dispatch. (8)

CLERK—Sit. by a young man, good clerk, for general office work; good refs. Box T 144, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Sit. as clerk in grocery store or as assistant bookkeeper; am willing to begin on small salary; can furnish refs. Ad. B 1931 Olive. (4)

COLLECTOR — Man, middle-aged, former traveling man, wants position as collector, timekeeper or any other suitable work, day or night; A1 refs.; bond. Box R 4, Post-Dispatch. (4)

COOK—Sit. by first-class all around cook, meat and pastry, country hotel, boarding-house; sober and reliable; state wages. Box T 99, Post-Dispatch.

DRAFTSMAN—Desires position; 5 years' experience, mechanical and electrical. Box R 96, Post-Dispatch. (3)

DRAFTSMAN—And designing engineer desires position; thoroughly practical and rapid; university graduate; 5 years' experience; aged 30. D. J., 4533A Clayton av. (7)

DRIVER—Wants position, 6 or 4 horses. Box R 32, Post-Dispatch. (4)

DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted by registered druggist, at present employed; best of references. Box O 8, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ENGINEER—Competent and licensed, wants sit., day or night, or assistant; A1 refs. Box T 80, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ENGINEER—Sit. by first-class engineer; licensed; willing to do my own repairing; I can save you money if your plant is run down; have refs. from last two employers; would expect a fair salary. Ad. 6816 Michigan av.

FIREMAN—Sit. as stationary fireman, for straight boiler or Roney stoker. W. M. Hanby, 2228 S. 2d st. (4)

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

FIREMAN—Sit. by colored fireman, straight or down draft, iron handle, Collier engine; any kind of pumper. John Willis, 1614 Pine. (5)

HORSESHOER — And blacksmith; first-class; wishes position, city or country; steady; refs. Box R 22, Post-Dispatch. (3)

JANITOR—Sit. as janitor for room and small wages. 400 Laml.

JANITOR—Sit. by colored man as janitor or work around private family. 4415 St. Ferdinand. (4)

MACHINIST—Young married man; 5 years' experience; must have employment. Ad. Davies, 7311 Ethel av. (3)

MAN—Sit. by Catholic house and furnace man. Box R 7, Post-Dispatch. (3)

MAN—Young married man wants position, office; good penman. Box T 155, P.-D. (4)

MAN—Colored man wants any kind of job work or driving. 3933 Finney.

MAN—Sit. by man, 23, work of any kind; factory, wholesale house; speaks Bohemian and English. Box R 52, Post-Dis. (4)

MAN—Sit. by reliable man, house or outside work; experienced milker. Box T 74, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Would like to travel for bakers' supply house or good, reliable firm. Box R 21, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN—Sit. by young man to operate moving picture machine; experienced. Box T 142, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by man, 30, work of any kind, factory, wholesale house; speaks German, English; honest, sober. Box T 189, P.-D.

MAN—Strong young man, who is handy with tools, wants work in factory or store at reasonable wages. Box T 198, Post-Dis. (5)

MAN AND WIFE—Want work in private family as cook and stableman; colored. Write E. Williams, 2820 Laclede av.

MAN—Sit. by young man, 20, in grocery store; must have work of some kind; can furnish ref. 1301 Elliot.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. by man and wife in hotel or restaurant, with some experience. 1917 N. Sarah.

MAN—Sit. by colored man to clean office or work mornings and evenings; call or write 3625 Cozens. (4)

MAN—Sit. wanted, repairing marble and polishing soda fountains; all kinds of marble work. 1008 Grattan. (4)

MAN AND WIFE—Sits. by man and wife, cooking for hotel, restaurant or camp, or take charge of poultry ranch. Box T 122, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. by young colored couple to work in private family as cook and butler; city references. Call or write Wednesday or Thursday. 2651 Pine.

MAN—Sit. by young man of 30 years to learn bartending; steady and obliging; not afraid of work or long hours. Box O 37, Post-Dispatch.

MEATCUTTER—Sit. by first-class meatcutter, with several years' experience in buying meat and vegetables; can give best of reference. Box T 157, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE MAN—Sit. by experienced office man and correspondent. Box T 146, P.-D.

PAPERHANGER—Sit. by paperhanger, 10c roll. Box R 60, Post-Dispatch. (34)

PAPERHANGER—Sit. wanted by first-class paperhanger and painter; will work cheap. R. Cosby, 2704 Lucas av., Bomont 3004. (3)

PORTER—Sit. by young German as porter; can tend bar; refs. Box T 143, P.-D.

PORTER—Sit. by colored man as porter, janitor or fireman; good ref. 4314 St. Ferdinand.

PORTER—Sit. by colored man, honest, strictly sober, as porter in store, hotel or barber shop. 2927 Lawton. Phone Bomont 837.

PRESSMAN—Wants position, cylinder or job presses; 14 years' experience; nonunion. B., 5926A Bartmer av., St. Louis. (1)

PRESSMAN—Sit. by pressman, cylinder and platen presses; open shop preferred. Box T 113, Post-Dispatch.

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SALESMAN—Young man, speaks Spanish and German, wants to travel as salesman; no choice of territory; reference. Box T 165, Post-Dispatch. (4)

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WATCHMAN—Sit. as night watchman by middle-aged man; best references; Bell phone East 1717. (60)

WINDOW TRIMMER—Sit. wanted by experienced window trimmer, in any line of merchandise; can make showcards. Phone Olive 2266. (4)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

ADDRESSER—Wanted, addressing and circular work at home. Box T 87, P.-D.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted; young woman; experienced in office work and bookkeeping; moderate salary. Box T 163, P.-D. (4)

CASHIER—Young lady desires position as cashier; 4 years' experience; best ref. Ad. Cashier, 4274 Finney av. (5)

CASHIER—Sit. wanted by middle-aged lady, in nickelodeon or restaurant; best references. Box O 132, Post-Dispatch. (3)

CASHIER—Sit. by young lady as cashier in nickelodeon, or attend to laundry branch; experienced; give ref. J. F., 1726 S. 18th st.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. by neat colored woman as chambermaid; can give ref. Apply 1544 S. 2d st.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. by neat, experienced, colored chambermaid; call or write. Hattie, 4336 Cottage av. (4)

COOK—Sit. as cook or first-class laundress. Mary Stone, 1120 N. 22d st.

COOK—Sit. by experienced cook in family hotel or boarding house, in West End. Ad. M. R., 4009 Olive, Lindell 950. (5)

COOK—Sit. by middle-aged woman to cook in private family, without laundry. 3533 Manchester. (4)

COOK—Sit. by colored girl as cook or housegirl, in small family. Ad. 2907 Lawton, Phone Bomont 2403.

COOK—Sit. as cook by colored woman, Southerner (with one St. Louis family 8 years); wants good wages, comfortable room and will give best service; in kitchen and dining room only. 11 S. 23d st. (4)

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined lady desires position as housekeeper for bachelor or widower, with no incumbrance; no objection to leaving city. Call Thursday or Friday. 1428 S. 10th st.

COMPANION—Refined young lady desires a position as ladies' companion; will do light housework; willing to travel. Call 3714 Garfield av. (3)

COOK—Sit. by 15-year-old girl to cook, iron, do housework and take care of children; $12 per month. Box O 33, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. by middle-aged colored woman as cook in private family; Southern-raised. 805 N. 14th st. (4)

COOK—Sit. by good colored girl, first-class cook, from the South. W. Stanley, 1227 Chestnut st.

COOK—Sit. by colored woman, with child 7 years, plain cooking or housework. 2702 Laclede av.

DISHWASHER—Sit. by colored girl to wash dishes in restaurant. 4338 St. Ferdinand.

GIRL—Sit. by experienced colored girl, housework or plain cooking. 3936 Finney.

GIRL—Sit. by colored girl to do cleaning or housework. 2610 Baldwin.

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GIRL—Sit. by German girl, 16 years old, for housework. 3106 Nebraska.

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GIRL—Sit. by small colored girl, 14 years, in good home; small wages; must go to school. Phone 813 Bomont.

GIRL—Sit. by neat, young country girl to assist with housework in small family; no postals answered. 4552A Panin st.

GIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl to do housework, with room. Call or write. C. Gates, 2119 Walnut st.

GIRL—Sit. by experienced, Southern colored girl, with good ref.; to leave town soon. Call or write, 211 S. 15th st.

GIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl, 18, to do light housework and nursing. 704 N. Jefferson. Phone Bomont 1535.

GIRL—Sit. by neat, respectable colored girl to do general housework; no laundry work; call or write. 1726 Morgan st.

GIRL—Young girl attending Central High wishes place to assist with housework. Box R 112, Post-Dispatch. (3)

GIRL—15 years, wants work to nurse or assist with housework. Ad. 1016 N. 11th st., city; Catholic family. (4)

GIRL—Sit. by colored girl, 18 years old, to work out by the week. Christina Taylor, 4620 Delmar bl.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl, German; prefer small family; willing to do any kind of work around the house. Box T 190, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl, 18 years old, to learn hairdressing and manicuring. Call 3561 Lindell av.; please notice, ring last bell side 3561.

GOVERNESS—Sit. as governess or nurse. F. E., 713 N. 15th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper. Box R 50, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper in widower's home; salary $5. 713 N. 15th.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper for bachelor or widower. 2654 Locust.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper by elderly lady; good cook and worker. Mrs. M. G. M., 1110 Chambers. (5)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by young woman as working housekeeper, in small family. Box T 94, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by reliable widow as housekeeper for widower; no objection to children. Call 1434 N. 19th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by neat colored girl as housekeeper. Call at once. Phone Bomont 2184.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper for widower with small children. Box T 200, Post-Dispatch. (5)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl to assist with general housework in small family. 2518 Dodier st. (3)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by first-class German girl for general housework in apartment; best refs.; $25 month. 5805 Theodosia.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow would like position where she could store some furniture; wants home more than wages. Box R 51, Post-Dispatch. (4)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl for general housework, in small family; can give references; phone Bomont 1906 or call 4622 Delmar bl.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow wishes position in home of widower or bachelor; willing to work for board for mother and daughter. Mrs. Beard, 1004 Hickory st.

LADY—With little girl, would like position in small family of adults. 3300 Washington av.

LADY—Refined lady desires companionship to some lady or child; willing to assist with light housework; references exchanged. E. D., Labadie, Mo. (83)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored laundress, bundles to bring home; please send postal. 4143 Fairfax av.

LAUNDRESS—Colored, wishes last few days in week. Ad. 2907 Lawton. Phone Bomont 2403.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class laundress, first two or four days in week. Alice Brooks, 402 S. 15th st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by good laundress, by the day, or small bundles. Bomont 1728. 2921 Lawton av.

LAUNDRESS—Wants work to bring home or to go out; can give good ref. Louise Young, 3424 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class laundress to go out first days of week. Call or write. 1708 N. Newstead av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class white laundress to take ladies' clothes home; good ironer; has refs. 4040 Lucky.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wants Thursday and Friday out, or as chambermaid. Phone Bomont 708.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored laundress to go out by the day or work by the week. Miss Pauline, phone Olive 3629.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by a first-class laundress, to take small washings home. 1112A Lynch st. (3)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored laundress, to take home washing, rough dry; small bundles. 4033A Easton av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by good colored laundress; family washing to iron and rough dry. Stricklin, 4038A Evans.

MILLINER—Sit. by milliner, experienced maker, at retail store; call or write. 2322 Menard st.

NURSE—Sit. to nurse invalid or children and assist with light housework; call or address Louise Rouvrais, 301 Convent.

SEAMSTRESS—Competent seamstress wishes family sewing; also children's clothes; ref. Apply 4107 Easton av.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. by neat Southern woman as seamstress; have no objection to assisting at any kind of work. 1016 N. 11th. (4)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady, 5 years' experience, stenographer and office assistant. Lindell 3596. (3)

STENOGRAPHER—Position as stenographer by high school graduate; first-class refs.; some experience. Box R 85, Post-Dis. (1)

STENOGRAPHER—Position by lady stenographer and office assistant in doctor's office; experienced; can furnish good refs. Box T 95, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by experienced, reliable young lady stenographer; references; neat, accurate; moderate salary. Box T 85, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by lady stenographer, 12 years' commercial and banking experience; knowledge of Spanish. Box T 114, Post-Dispatch.

WAITRESS—Sit. by girl as waitress in small restaurant. Ad. 2631 Washington.

WOMAN—White woman wants day work, at once. 26 N. Compton.

WOMAN—Sit. by big, experienced woman to run rooming house for room rent. Call 2633 Locust st.

WOMAN—Sit. by colored woman in suburban town for general housework, with neat girl to assist, or as nurse. 3308 Franklin av.

WOMAN—Wanted, any kind of work, dishwashing, housecleaning; no washing or ironing. Box T 153, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit. by a reliable colored lady, work of any kind, by day; phone Bomont 2215.

WOMEN—Sits. to do general housework by two women in exchange for their husbands' room and board. Box O 57, Post-Dispatch. (4)

Help Wanted

MALE

ADJUSTER Wtd.—Experienced envelope machine adjuster; good salary to right man. Apply Samuel Cupples Envelope Co., 638 S. 6th st. (4c)

BAKER Wtd.—Good 3d-hand baker. 3333 Parnell.

BAKER Wtd.—Reliable night man on bread and rolls. 301 S. 4th st.

BAKER Wtd.—First-class baker on bread and rolls. 2610 Franklin av.

BARBER Wtd.—At Railroad Y. M. C. A. Bldg., 20th and Eugenia.

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Experienced, to handle small set of books in spare time. Box T 148, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Practical and experienced accountant and office man in wholesale and retail coal office; salary $90 to start; state references. Box T 98, Post-Dispatch.

BOY Wtd.—Wrang Tang Liniment Co., 118 N. 2d st.

BOY Wtd.—Over 14, to work in drug store; ref.; some experience at soda fountain. 4101 Olive st.

BOY Wtd.—Strong boy to work in grocery; $6 a week; experienced. 619 N. Vandeventer.

BOYS Wtd.—Wagon boys, must be over 16 years old. Adams Express Co.'s stables, 13th and Spruce.

BUSBOY Wtd.—Royal Lunchroom, 2307 Washington av.

BUTCHER Wtd.—Butcher at 826 Market st.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—Carpenters at 3005½ Olive. (c)

COACHMAN Wtd.—Must live on place with wife and board himself; rooms furnished; must be good driver, with first-class ref. 5250 Westminster pl. (c)

DRIVER Wtd.—Driver for grocery store. Conrad Grocery Co., Grand and Shenandoah. (c)

GLUER Wtd.—For cloth department. Kregel Casket Co., 1401 N. 18th st. (8c)

HOUSEBOY Wtd.—Between 16 and 18 years. Call immediately, 4173 Morgan st.

MACHINISTS Wtd.—Who can remodel 1904 Champion sole stitcher. Write to Joseph Brady, Wytheville, Va. (4)

MAN Wtd.—Young, to work in lunchroom; must have experience. 2605 Laclede.

MAN Wtd.—Young man to help in lunchroom. 1404 Francis.

MAN Wtd.—First-class man to take charge of dyeing and cleaning plant; must give good references. 304 Globe-Democrat Bldg. (5)

MAN Wtd.—Young man to repair motors and electric fans and take charge of stock floor in electrical supply house. Box T 84, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN Wtd.—A young man over 16 years of age to put on sewing machine belts and as general helper to our machine adjuster. Apply The Paul E. Wolff Shirt Co., 815 Washington av. (c)

MANAGERS Wtd.—For other cities; our goods sell on sight; staple; parties with small capital make big money. 541 Frisco Bldg. (7)

MEN Wtd.—2313 Bircher st.

MEN Wtd.—To take orders; coffee, tea, groceries, sundries; $15 week. Connell, 512 S. 7th st. (5)

MEN Wtd.—To unload rails. Wiggins Ferry dirt switch, upper yards, East St. Lou's. (c)

MEN Wtd.—Ten men, with $50, to invest as security; secure a position worth $3 to $10 per day as city managers. Call today at room 617 Holland Bldg.

MEN Wtd.—For the U. S. marine corps, men between the ages of 21 and 35; an opportunity to see the world; for full information apply in person or by letter to U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Federal Bldg., St. Louis. (8c)

SHOEMAKER Wtd.—A good shoe man for all kinds of repairing; one who can make good new work, in a town of 2500. A. Fincher, Shelbina, Mo. (7c)

HELP WANTED—MALE

SADDLEMAKER Wtd.—Gig saddlemaker. Apply Meyer, Bannerman & Co., 619 N. 8th st.

PHYSICIAN Wtd.—First-class, reliable, honest; registered in Missouri; graduate of college and a surgeon; good personal appearance and in good standing; permanent position, good salary; full particulars in application. Box M 150, Post-Dis. (3)

PRINTER Wtd.—Allround job and ad man who is good cylinder and platen pressman and understands stone and make up work; good, permanent position to right man. Write, with full information, quick, to The Dispatch, Columbus, Miss. (4c)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Experienced young man, stenographer and bill clerk; accurate at figures; German preferred; wholesale liquor house. Box T 86, Post-Dispatch.

TAILORS Wtd.—First-class trousers and vest maker, at once. Wm. E. Terrell, 304 Globe-Democrat Bldg.

WAGONS Wtd.—25 men, with light delivery wagons, to make deliveries; news carriers preferred. 202 N. 2d st., upstairs. (c)

WANTED—For the American navy, citizens of good character, between 17 and 35; excellent opportunity for promotion; pay to begin for qualified firemen, electricians, machinists, cooks, bakers, clerks, carpenters, musicians, coppersmiths and apprentice seamen, $16 to $70 per month; subsistence, medical attendance and first $60 outfit of clothing free; possible purchase discharge after one year in cases warranting the privilege. Apply at the Navy Recruiting Office, Postoffice, St. Louis, Missouri. (31c)

WATCHMAN Wtd.—About 55, in hotel; must run elevator, answer bells and sweep rotunda after midnight; salary $25, with board. Box T 196, Post-Dispatch.

WATCHMAKER Wtd.—At once, first-class watchmaker, optician and engraver; steady job for good man that can do good work; give reference and experience in first letter; good wages for the right man. Ad. F. W. Lynn, Walnut Ridge, Ark. (4c)

WRECKERS Wtd.—Wreckers to cut rivets. Apply Old Coliseum, 14th and Olive. (c)

YARDMAN Wtd.—At 304 N. 3d st.

SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

INSEAM TRIMMER Wtd.—On ladies' welts. Peter Shoe Co., factory No. 1, St. Louis and Jefferson. (c)

LASTERS Wtd.—Turn second lasters on ladies' work. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c)

SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—To be informed that there is a strike on at Cincinnati, O. M. T. Flahive, Bus. Agt., B. and S. W. M. (4)

TOUCHER UP Wtd.—Toucher up on ladies' welts. Peter Shoe Co., Factory No. 1, St. Louis and Jefferson. (c)

TRIMMER Wtd.—Inseam trimmer on men's fine welts. Hamilton-Brown, American Gentleman Factory, 21st and Locust. (5c)

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS Wtd.—Men and women can make $10 a day selling our photo tickets. Olive Studio, 720 Olive st. (8c)

DISTRIBUTERS Wtd.—At once, sample distributers; everywhere; $4 per 1000 paid. Hummel, 3657 Indiana av., Chicago.

MEN Wtd.—Who are nervous, energetic mixers; women who are honest, have ability and are not afraid to shake hands; the best fraternal proposition in the country; issues four forms of certificates; each certificate has four conditions of maturity; nothing like it; you can sell it; cash paid for business. Ad. W. M. Glass, Marquette Hotel. (83)

WE CAN PROVE that our general agents make $25 per day; no experience needed; our circulars teach you the business and our patented goods do the rest; if you are making less than $300 per month write to us; don't waste stamps and money on catch-penny advertisements; we forfeit $500 to any person proving we do not send free samples at once on receipt of application, with full information to start right to work to earn $25 per day. Automatic Co., R 483, Cincinnati, O.

PARTNERS WANTED

PARTNER Wtd.—With $250, in real estate business. Call 411 Liggett Bldg.

PARTNER Wtd.—With $400; chance of life for any steady, sober man or lady. Box T 190, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—To open merchant tailor business; must have acquaintance and small capital. Box T 103, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Good, legitimate business; guaranteed; clearing $150 monthly; $250 handles; particulars. Large Investment Co., 802 Chestnut st. (4)

PARTNER Wtd.—With $200 to $300 and services; good paying business; well established; object to enlarge. Call at once. Room 8, 800 Olive st.

SALESMEN WANTED.

SALESMAN Wtd.—Experienced typewriter salesman for Southern territory; salary and commission. Hapgoods, 403 Chemical Bldg. (c)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Three well-dressed salesmen; splendid seller; we advance expenses on road, 9 and 4 p. m. 307 Kinloch Bldg. E. E. Duncan. (3)

SALESMAN Wtd.—One of St. Louis' largest establishments wants a meat salesman acquainted with city trade; must be young and ambitious; thoroughly efficient, and come well recommended. Box A 109, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMEN Wtd.—A first-class department store in the Middle West desires the services of experienced carpet, drapery and furniture salesmen, also carpet cutter and layer. Ad. at once, giving reference and salary expected. Box R 31, Post-Dis. (3)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Who can sell tailoring to the consumer direct, either by samples or in store; we furnish fixtures complete and woolens on consignment for show purposes to parties who wish to establish themselves in a live town; salesmen who have been selling tailoring will find it important and profitable to investigate and write at once; our line is the best for quality, material and workmanship, and you will never lose a customer; write today for particulars. Ad. Paul Jones, Lock Box 590, Chicago, Ill., Dept. 54. (c)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Ladies or gents for Universal starch luster; salary and commission. 821 Montgomery st. (4)

MEN Wtd.—Three neatly dressed men, $1.50 day and commission. Apply 3324 Shenandoah.

SOLICITORS Wtd.—Male or female, for best paying proposition in the State. Apply 1032 N. Vandeventer av. (6)

SOLICITORS Wtd.—Ladies; salary and commission; on fast seller; 10c article. Call 2252 Cass.

SOLICITORS Wtd.—3 experienced solicitors for high-class photo tickets; fine proposition to right party. Murillo Studio, 1314 Olive st. (8c)

TRADE SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

STENOGRAPHERS furnished promptly; no fees. Remington Typewriter Co., 806 Pine st.; both phones. (8c)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

ATTENDANT Wtd.—For young children. Apply Episcopal Orphans' Home, Grand and Lafayette. (c)

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Energetic lady canvassers can make good money using all or spare time. Box T 182, Post-Dispatch.

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—912 N. Garrison.

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—Neat and experienced. Albany Hotel, 4873 Page.

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—At Moser Hotel, 809 Pine. (c)

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—One experienced chambermaid, white. Hoffman House, 3127 Locust st.

COOK Wtd.—Woman, at once. 518 Walnut.

COOK Wtd.—First-class. 10 Lenox pl.

COOK Wtd.—Good; for family of 3; no outside work; references. 4124A McPherson.

COOK Wtd.—Good cook, German preferred. Call 3636 Page bl. (c)

COOK Wtd.—A white competent cook to assist with housework. 4204 West Pine bl.

COOK Wtd.—Woman cook in exchange for husband's board and room in basement. 3041 Locust.

COOK Wtd.—Two girls, cooking and general housework. Telephone Ferguson 58, or call. Mrs. H. C. January, Ferguson, Mo. (4)

DEMONSTRATOR Wtd.—Young lady as demonstrator for show window work. Box T 160, Post-Dispatch.

FINISHER Wtd.—First-class finisher on custom shirts. Apply room 412, 411 Olive st.

[DRESS]MAKERS Wtd. — Experienced, by hand or machine; best of prices and long season. Sylvester C. Judge, 1819 Pine.

GIRL Wtd.—To assist in general housework. 3639 Texas av. (3)

GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. Apply 2338 Park av.

GIRL Wtd.—German girl for general housework; small family; $20. 3678 Blaine. (4)

GIRL Wtd.—14, in chiropodist's office, 413 Commercial Bldg.

GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. Apply 1316 S. 10th st.

GIRL Wtd.—Girl for dining room; must be quick; come at once. 608 Walnut.

GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; good pay. Saloon, 401 S. 2d st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

GIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for housework; no Hungarian need apply. 1641 Missouri.

GIRLS Wtd.—To do general bindery work; salary $7. Interstate Printing Co., 618 Elm st.

GIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman from 17 to 40 years can find a good home at 800 S. 8th st. Call on 2d floor, above saloon.

GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family. 533 Oakwood av., Webster Groves. Telephone Webster 489.

GIRLS Wtd.—To operate envelope machines. Apply Samuel Cupples Envelope Co., 638 S. 6th st. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—To set type (not compositors); light, clean steady work. Western Type Fdry., 108 Pine st. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—Two, experienced, white, at once; three in family; liberal wages. Call or write Mrs. Gill, 358 E. Main st., Woodlawn, Kirkwood. (3c)

GIRLS Wtd.—Several girls, 18 years and over, to make bottle packing wood partitions; good wages; begin at once. Schoenthaler Mfg. Co., 1917 Chouteau. (c)

HAIRDRESSER Wtd.—Experienced hairdresser at once. 1628 S. Broadway.

HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—For 8-room flat, married couple preferred. 3144 Locust.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 3655 Flora bl. (3)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family. 5027A Morgan. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 3505 Longfellow.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 5056 Cabanne. (4c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework. 3524 Halliday av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl for general housework. 3505 Pestalozzi st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl to assist in housework; no washing. 3213 Eads av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 4631 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 5085 Fairmount.

HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—Apply at once. 1504 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—To do light housework; no washing. 2317 Wash.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German girl, 14, to assist with housework. 3904 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; at once; $20 month; references. 4641 Morgan. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good German girl for general housework; one who can go home at night. Call at 1805 Benton st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Middle-aged woman to assist in general housework. 6801 Gravois.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent girl for general housework; no washing; small family; good wages. 4419 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework, washing and ironing; references. 1808 Lafayette.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. Apply at 143 Lockwood av., near Gore av., Webster Groves. (5)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good German girl for general housework, in small family; good home; no washing. 3065 Thomas. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework; will be taught how to cook. 4432 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent girl, general housework; 3 in family; steam-heated apartment. 4307 Maryland, 2d floor west.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Young girl to assist in light housework; good home in small family. 5327 Ridge av.; tel. Forest 3175.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Colored girl for housework; colored rooming house. 1921 Lucas av., today. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German-speaking girl for general housework in family of 3. 4153 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework in small private family; no washing; must speak English. 2651 Russell.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced white girl for general housework; highest wages; steam-heated apartment; references required. 4319 Lindell, first floor, east.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A Protestant girl, German preferred, for general housework in family of four adults; keep two girls; wages $20; call Thursday at 5544 Cabanne av.

LADIES Wtd.—Make sanitary belts; material cut ready to sew; $1.44 per dozen; particulars addressed envelope. Hygienic Novelty Co., Dept. 24, Chicago.

LADY Wtd.—Young lady for a flower store; experienced prefered. Foster Floral Co., 909 Olive st.

LADY Wtd.—Bright and willing lady to assist in office work; must write good business hand. Call at 711 Victoria Bldg.

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—White, Mondays and Tuesdays; call Thursday morning. 225 N. Newstead av.

MAID Wtd.—A competent, reliable maid for general housework in a family of two, in the Vrooman Apartment Bldg., 4531 McPherson av., 1st floor.

NURSEGIRL Wtd.—A nursegirl, not over 12 or 13 years; call at once. 1018 N. 18th.

SEWERS Wtd.—Fast hand sewers on buttons on shirt waists; only those fast with needle need apply. Olian Bros., 717 Lucas. (c)

WAITRESS Wtd.—Call at 5 N. 8th st., upstairs.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced arm waitress at Mikado Restaurant, 1425 Franklin.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced, at once. Royal Cafe, 4105 Olive st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—No Sunday work; hours 6 a. m. to 3 p. m.; wages $5; experienced only. Old Kentucky Restaurant, 408 Franklin.

WOMAN Wtd.—To work for her husband's room and board. 3028 Pine st.

WOMAN Wtd.—For general housework; come ready to work. 2121 Wash st.

WOMAN Wtd.—For general housework; no washing or ironing. 4241 N. Broadway.

SHOEWORKERS WANTED

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced, to repair patent leather. Peters Shoe Co., St. Louis and Jefferson. (3c)

TOP STICKER Wtd.—Top sticker on ladies' work. Peter Shoe Co., Factory No. 1, St. Louis and Jefferson. (c)

TREERS Wtd.—First-class treers on ladies' fine shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c)

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED

COLLAR GIRL Wtd.—An experienced collar girl; apply at once. Planters Hotel Laundry.

FINISHERS Wtd.—Six first-class shirt finishers; must be experts. Box O 39, Post-Dispatch. (4)

GIRLS Wtd.—To learn. 1517 Clark av.

IRONERS Wtd.—Experienced neckband ironers on gas machines; apply at once. Century Laundry Co., 4666 Easton. (8c)

IRONERS Wtd.—Six first-class shirt ironers to iron shirts entirely by hand; must be A1. Box O 38, Post-Dispatch. (4)

IRONER Wtd.—Experienced neckbander for gas machine. South Side Laundry, 1412-1414 S. Broadway. (c)

MANGLE GIRLS Wtd.—Colonial Laundry, 4020 Olive. (c)

WASHERWOMAN Wtd.—At once, for lace-curtain laundry. Apply 4553 Page bl.

Rooms and Board

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

ADAMS, 2616A—Furnished front rooms, single or en suite; convenient to railroaders. (4)

BARTMER, 6205—Sunny suite of rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; $1; references; free phone.

BARTMER, 6021—Two nicely furnished front rooms; southern exposure; furnace heat, suitable for couple or two gentlemen. (5)

BAYARD, 770 (4800 west)—2 and 3 large rooms, furnished or unfurnished; $15 month.

BELL, 3028—Two or three nicely furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; 2d floor; heat, light, gas range; respectable; no children.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Rooms, 25c to 50c; baths free; low weekly rates. (8)

CARR, 2342—Connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry.

CASS, 3041—Second-story front housekeeping room; also hall room, bath, gas; phone Lindell 901. (6)

CHOUTEAU, 1926—Connecting front rooms, for light housekeeping; all conveniences; $12 per month. (4)

CHOUTEAU, 1114—Nice large connecting rooms, first floor; water in kitchen; $3.25; for housekeeping.

COMPTON, 224 N.—First-class furnished rooms; light housekeeping if desired. (5)

COOK, 4062—Furnished 2 or 3 rooms, 2d floor; furnace, gas, all conveniences; private family. (3)

COOK, 4062—Furnished 2 or 3 connecting rooms, furnace, gas, $4 week; single room $2 a week; privilege of housekeeping.

COOK, 4632A—Large front room, with use of kitchen for housekeeping; gas, bath; furnace heat; private family.

COOK, 4734A—Nice, warm room for two; bath, gas, private; Suburban cars; $2.50 week. (78)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4453—Two nicely furnished front rooms for nice family; cheap. (4)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

DELMAR BL., 4616A—Nicely furnished rooms; furnace heat; hot bath; phone.

DELMAR, 4117—Two connecting 2d floor front rooms, suitable for 4 gentlemen; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3323—Nicely furnished front room; all conveniences; private family; reasonable; phone Lindell 4971. (3)

DELMAR BL., 4036—Nicely furnished 3d floor room, southern exposure; gentlemen or housekeeping; $2.25.

DELMAR BL., 3868—Nicely furnished warm room; all modern conveniences; suitable for one or two.

DICKSON, 2418—Clean furnished front rooms for light housekeeping; very reasonable rent; private family; conveniences.

DICKSON, 2940—Two connecting furnished housekeeping rooms; newly papered; gas range, hot bath; $2.50.

EADS, 2658—Two light sunny unfurnished rooms and kitchen; modern. (3)

EADS, 2707—Neatly furnished 2d-story room, furnace heat, hot water; $2 per week.

EASTON, 4342—Furnished room, heat, bath and gas, $2 per week.

EASTON, 4851—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences. (33x)

EASTON, 3108—Nicely furnished second-story front rooms, with or without light housekeeping. (3)

EASTON, 3053—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; southern exposure; water and gas; reasonable.

EASTON, 3000—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms, to respectable parties; gas, bath, laundry.

EIGHTEENTH, 3337 S.—Neatly furnished room.

EIGHTEENTH, 916A S.—Two nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath, gas; apply at 920 S. 18th. (5)

ELLIOT, 1202 (over drug store)—Single or connecting rooms.

FIFTEENTH, 207 S.—One large room, furnished for light housekeeping; all conveniences; $1.50.

FINNEY, 4059—Two rooms, nicely furnished for light housekeeping; bath and all conv.

FINNEY, 3811—Second-story front room; well-heated; phones; all conv.; private family.

FOUNTAIN, 4038—Fine, light room; two gentlemen; electric light, bath, telephone; private; references exchanged. (73)

FRANKLIN, 523—Four rooms; rent $11; water in kitchen. Apply 922 High st. (31)

FRANKLIN, 1507—Neatly furnished rooms; reasonable; for gents or housekeeping.

FRANKLIN, 1427—Nicely furnished room, $1.50 and up; see barber.

FRANKLIN, 3100—Front room, with alcove; nice couple; housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry; reasonable.

GARFIELD, 3638—Front and adjoining room, elegantly furnished; bath, steam heat; Kinloch phone. (7)

GARRISON, 616A N.—Sunny steam-heated rooms, neatly furnished; hot bath; reas. (4)

GARRISON, 209 N.—Comfortable south room; private residence; modern; both phones; reasonable.

HICKORY, 1513—Two nice rooms, hot water; bath; furnace heat; for gentlemen; reas. (3)

HICKORY, 3117—Nicely furnished room; also housekeeping room, with suite; reas.

HICKORY, 1211—Front room and kitchen, furnished complete for light housekeeping; reasonable.

HICKORY, 1228—Furnished second-floor room; light housekeeping; southwestern exposure; $1.75; conveniences; call after 6 o'clock; also hall room.

HOTEL ST. LOUIS—4th and Locust sts.; room for rent $1.50 per week up. (6)

JEFFERSON, 4 S.—Furnished hall room. (3)

JEFFERSON, 1715 S.—Two furnished rooms, front and back, connecting, for light housekeeping; also hall room.

KENSINGTON, 5032—Choice furnished front room; private family; Suburban, Delmar cars; gentlemen; very reasonable. (5)

LACLEDE, 3321—2 nice rooms on 2d floor for light housekeeping; 1 on 3d, with gas. (4)

LACLEDE, 2949—Large, light unfurnished room, bath, gas, $3 per month.

LACLEDE, 3025—Large 2d-story front room; light housekeeping; hot bath.

LACLEDE, 3520—Neatly furnished front room; other rooms; all conv.

LACLEDE, 3010—Furnished room with kitchen, $2.50; also front room, $2; light housekeeping; bath, phone.

LACLEDE, 2949—Nicely furnished parlor, with kitchen privileges; all conveniences; $3 per week.

LACLEDE, 3512—Newly furnished parlors, single or en suite; furnace heat; gas and bath. (3)

LACLEDE, 3505—Connecting rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; also second-floor rooms for two gentlemen; hot bath, in quiet family. (3)

LAFAYETTE, 2618—Two connecting rooms on 2d floor, for housekeeping; hot water.

LAWTON, 2833A—3 unfurnished front rooms; large closets, bath, gas. (77)

LAWTON, 2834—Large, clean housekeeping room; gas, laundry, cook stove; $2.50; hall room, $1.25.

LAWTON, 3317—Light connecting rooms, southern exposure; light housekeeping; cook stove; laundry; cheap.

LOCUST, 1120—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $1 and $1.50.

LOCUST, 2819—One front room, housekeeping or gents, $3; hall room, $1.50; bath.

LOCUST, 3042—Elegant warm, clean rooms, fine location; hot bath; private home; phone; $1.50.

LOCUST, 3052—Nicely furnished room; housekeeping; gas range; kitchen cabinet; bath; phone; furnace heat. (5)

LOCUST, 2215—Furnished rooms, 1st and 3d floor; front; southern exposure; gentlemen or housekeeping.

LOCUST, 1804—Nicely furnished furnace-heated front rooms, single rooms, $2; all conveniences. (4)

LOCUST, 2920—Beautiful second-story front for light housekeeping; also other rooms; all conveniences. (1)

LOCUST, 2208—Furnace-heated, connecting parlors; reasonable; three other nice rooms, $1.50 week each.

LOCUST, 2215—Furnished front rooms, southern exposure; gentlemen or housekeeping; small side rooms, $1.

LUCAS, 3337—Two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping, gas range; no children.

LUCAS, 3430—Furnished room for light housekeeping, gas range, light, heat, free phone.

LUCAS, 418—Nice rooms, 15c to 25c daily; $1 to $1.50 weekly; baths free. (6)

LUCAS, 3020—Two connecting rooms, for housekeeping; gas and bath. (3)

LUCAS, 3412—Clean, nicely furnished, well-heated rooms; hot bath on every floor; reception room and all conveniences. (6)

MAGNOLIA, 3453A—Cheerful, warm room, or will share flat; cheap; every conv.

MARCUS, 2816—Newly furnished front room; private family; hot bath; all conv.; $1.50 week.

MORGAN, 3329—Two connecting furnished front rooms; gas range, sink, hot bath.

MORGAN, 3331—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas range; coal stove.

MORGAN, 4473—Two nicely furnished rooms, reasonable. (4)

MORGAN, 4068—Warm, clean rooms, furnace, gas, bath, housekeeping privileges; very reas. Lindell 2080.

MORGAN, 3214—Two connecting furnished housekeeping rooms; gas stove, steam heat; phone; $3.50.

MORGAN, 2911—Furnished rooms, use of parlor, piano, sewing machine; phone Central 9044R. (3)

NEWSTEAD, 1414 N.—Two connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished; single or en suite; conveniences.

NINTH, 815 S.—Two rooms and kitchen, 1st floor; good condition.

O'FALLON, 505—Newly papered, furnished or unfurnished rooms, with or without housekeeping. (3)

OHIO, 1309—First floor, 3 rooms, $11. (3)

OLIVE, 4111—Five rooms, all conv. Apply 922 High st. (31)

OLIVE, 1601—Large furnished room for housekeeping, with Buck range; reas. (5)

OLIVE, 3934—Nicely furnished rooms, suitable for young ladies employed.

OLIVE, 2839—Nicely furnished rooms; excellent furnace heat; hot bath. (4)

OLIVE, 3324—Light housekeeping rooms; clean and neatly furnished, $1.75 and up.

OLIVE, 3726—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable.

OLIVE, 3528A—Finely furnished front room; Vulcan gas heater; all conveniences; reas.

OLIVE, 4224A—Two nicely furnished rooms; private family; steam heated; modern; gentlemen preferred.

OLIVE, 4251—Nicely furnished rooms, $1.50, $2.50 and $3.50; steam heat; modern conveniences; phone.

OLIVE, 3028A—2 large connecting rooms for housekeeping or sleeping; modern; widow's home; reasonable.

OLIVE, 1810—Rooms, complete for housekeeping; single or connecting; gas, bath; phone; reasonable.

OLIVE, 3531A—Lovely front room, steam heated; also single room, $2 weekly; for gentlemen. (6)

OLIVE, 3516A—Two rooms; janitor service; water and bath, $12. Greer R. E. Co., 10 N. 9th st. (10)

OLIVE, 3214—Large, light rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; bath; phone; laundry; $2.

OLIVE, 2736—Newly furnished front and back parlors; also hall room; $1.25, $2 and $3.

OLIVE, 4238—Two splendidly furnished rooms; suitable for two gentlemen; together or separate; two in family; no other roomers; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 4541—Nicely furnished room; furnace heat; suitable for two; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 4932A—Two nice rooms, completely furnished for light housekeeping.

PAGE BL., 3344—Housekeeping room, furnished or unfurnished; heat, phone, warm bath, gas range.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

PAGE BL., 5136—Front 2d-story room, very desirable and reasonable; all conveniences; first-class. (3)

PAGE BL., 4934—Nice, new second-story front room; private family; all conveniences; gentlemen only. (7)

PAGE BL., 5206A—Single front room, well furnished; in private family; steam heat; reasonable.

PARK, 917—One or two connecting, furnished rooms; bath, housekeeping. (5)

PARK, 3434A—Two nicely furnished connecting rooms; modern conveniences; rates reasonable; use of piano. (3)

PINE, 2648—Neatly furnished rooms, $1 per week and up.

PINE, 2643—Nicely furnished, convenient room, on 2d floor, $2.50 week.

PINE, 3236—Large front room, heat, hot water, light, 2 beds, light housekeeping.

PINE, 3003—Second-floor front room, with alcove, for housekeeping; also small room.

PINE, 2910—Neatly furnished front connecting rooms; single or together; gentlemen or housekeeping; clean. (5)

PINE, 3233—Nicely furnished 2d floor front and small room; all convs., for housekeeping. (5)

PINE, 3417—Neatly furnished front and connecting rooms, with or without housekeeping; every convenience; home of owner; reasonable to permanent people. (5)

ROOMS—19th and Franklin, over drug store, neatly furnished front rooms, for housekeeping; $2 week. (4)

ROOMS—Front connecting rooms for light housekeeping; range; all conveniences; phone Delmar 3718X. (5)

ROOMS—Double parlors, 2 connecting, for housekeeping; water and sink and other rooms. Box O 75, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ROOMS—Elegantly furnished rooms; private; light housekeeping, hot bath, furnace heat; widow's home; Grand and Olive cars. Phone Lindell 777. (8)

ST. VINCENT, 2630A—Neatly furnished front hall room, $6 per month. (5)

SHERIDAN, 3116—Furnished rooms, single or housekeeping; gas, bath, steam heat; phone. (3)

SPRING, 1210 N. (between Cook and Page)—Connecting rooms, housekeeping; heat, gas, bath; $4.75.

SHERIDAN, 2929—Cheerful 2d-story front furnished room for housekeeping, hot bath; $2.25 per week.

TENTH, 1115 S.—Newly furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath, laundry, phone. (5)

TENTH, 2101 N.—Two furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping and for respectable couple.

TENTH, 1107 S.—Elegantly furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping; $4.50 week; gas, hot bath, laundry. (4)

THOMAS, 3062—Large front room for housekeeping, 2d floor; $2.50 per week; other rooms.

THIRTEENTH, 2342 S.—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; private family; no children. (80)

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Room, complete for housekeeping; steam heat, running water. (6)

TWENTY-THIRD, 305 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; nicest rooms in city; all front rooms. (7)

VANDEVENTER, 1413 N.—Room, suitable for one or two gentlemen, $5 per month for one, $6 for two. (6)

VISTA, 3206A—Nicely furnished front room for two; gas, hot and cold bath; reas. (4)

WASH, 1611—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without housekeeping; $1.50 up. (3)

WASHINGTON, 3544—Elegantly furnished, steam-heated rooms; phone; all convs. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 3854—Nicely furnished 3d-story front room, well heated. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 2877—Two small, nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen only. (4)

WASHINGTON, 3227—One large room, second floor front; all modern.

WASHINGTON, 2810—Steam-heated rooms for gents.

WASHINGTON, 3501—Hot-water heated room; modern conveniences; select location; bath; phones; reasonable. (1)

WASHINGTON, 2827—Neatly furnished second-floor front; southern exposed; $8; also housekeeping room, $1.50. (4)

WASHINGTON, 2909—2d floor front housekeeping, gas range, furnace, phone, hot bath, $15; large connecting rooms, $14. (4)

WASHINGTON, 2602—Splendid, large second-floor hall room to gentlemen employed, $1.50. (7)

WASHINGTON, 1414—Furnished rooms, $1 week and up; light housekeeping rooms, cheap. (8)

WASHINGTON, 2649—Nice, clean rooms, for light housekeeping; $2, $2.25, $2.50; hall room, $1; 2d floor. (6)

WASHINGTON, 3216—Nicely furnished front room for housekeeping; gas, heat, bath and phone. (6)

WASHINGTON, 3810—Three connecting rooms, two bedrooms and kitchen, completely furnished; Kinloch phone; reas. (4)

WASH, 1811—Connecting rooms for light housekeeping; bath; basement, $1.50; hall room.

WASH, 1825—Nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; also hall room; all conveniences. (5)

WASHINGTON, 1601—Front parlors, $2.50 and $3; other rooms, $1.75 and $2; hall rooms, $1 and $1.25; first and second floor; all for light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON, 3316 — Second-floor side front housekeeping rooms; continuous hot bath; furnace, cooking gas; phone; $3 per week.

WEST BELLE PL., 3952—Neatly furnished room, for gentlemen; hot water, gas, furnace heat. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4357A—Nicely furnished front room, reasonable; all conv.; 3 car lines. (5)

WEST END PL., 508—Two elegant housekeeping rooms, first-floor front rooms, $18 month.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3965—Large and nicely furnished rooms; private home; every conv.; rates reasonable. (4)

WEST PINE BL., 4258—Rooms; one or two gentlemen; private family; no other roomers; board optional.

WINDSOR PL., 3864—Rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping, or bedrooms; gas, bath; all conveniences. (5)

FOR COLORED

CASS, 921—Three rooms, 2d floor; water and all conv.; $9 monthly.

FRANKLIN, 3316—For colored, two unfurnished rooms, on 2d floor.

HOWARD, 2915—3 rooms, first floor, water in kitchen, large yard; $9; key at 2923. Owner, 316 S. Jefferson.

LACLEDE, 2949—Basement room for colored people, $8 per month.

LAWTON, 2938—Neatly furnished front room.

LAWTON, 3024—Furnished room; also 2 unfurnished rooms for colored. Alice Raynor.

LOCUST, 1610—Basement for colored fam.

LUCAS, 2737—Two large, light, unfurnished rooms, with bath; reasonable.

LUCKY, 4136—Furnished room; colored gentleman and wife or 2 young men.

PINE, 2627—Two unfurnished rooms 1st and 2d floors; hot bath; colored. (4)

PINE, 3627—Two furnished rooms, 1st and 2d floor; hot bath; colored. (3)

SCOTT, 2958—Two and three fine rooms. Inquire 3664A Laclede av.

WASHINGTON, 1424—Basement for colored family.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

AUBERT, 729—Single and double rooms, with board; references. Delmar 3725R.

BARTMER, 5603—Pleasant well-heated front room; fine location; superior table; good service. (3)

BREMEN, 1423—Rooms, with board, all conveniences; Kinloch phone. (7)

BROADWAY, 4001 S.—Furnished rooms, with or without board; rooms $1.50 per week, with board $4.50; bath; apply dining room. (4)

CABANNE, 5309—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; steam heat; reasonable to permanent people.

CAROLINE, 3425—Party owning own home, with every convenience, would like to rent 2 large, southern-exposed rooms, 2 gentlemen; private family of 3; first-class table board; home cooking; $5 per week each; Bell Grand 1946, Kinloch Victor 2119R. (5)

CASTLEMAN, 4043A—Double and single room with board for gentlemen or ladies employed. (4)

COMPTON, 715 N.—Neatly furnished rooms, $1.75 and $2.25; with or without board. (3)

COOK, 3679—Nicely furnished 2d-story front alcove room; excellent heat, with board; conveniences. (3)

DELMAR BL., 3841—Southern front rooms; strictly first-class meals; bath; phone. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5227—Rooms; can obtain board at restaurant nearby.

DELMAR BL., 4052—Rooms, with board, for ladies or gentlemen; $4 upward. (6)

DELMAR BL., 3882—Large 2d-floor front room; other rooms; good board; reasonable; Lindell 5152. (4)

DELMAR, 4270—Desirable 2d floor room; excellent table and service; all home cooking; phone. (7)

DELMAR BL., 5240—Nicely furnished, warm room, with board; two employed; reasonable. Forest 2782. (5)

DELMAR BL., 4363—Splendidly furnished, very large southern-exposed front rooms; table absolutely best market affords; most desirable block on Delmar; Olive car; refs.

DELMAR BL., 3700—An exceptional boarding place for three or four permanent people; one block to Grand; superior service.

DELMAR BL., 4217—Large front room, three or four gentlemen, second floor front, couple or gentlemen; excellent table; private family; electric, gas, hot bath, phones; Olive and Suburban cars. (7)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

FOUNTAIN, 4910—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board. (4)

FOUNTAIN, 4922—Two large rooms, with board; all conveniences. (5)

GRAND, 1540 S.—Newly furnished room, suitable for couple or gents; steam heat, telephone and all conv.; with or without board; good home cooking.

HICKORY, 1800—Front room, with good board, for one gentleman; hot bath; all conveniences.

LACLEDE, 4372—2d-story front room, excellent board, for couple; southern exposure; electric light, bath; Lindell 2597.

LACLEDE, 4384—Nicely furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen, with or without board; all conveniences. (83)

LACLEDE, 3500—Neatly furnished rooms, with board for employed people; phone Lindell 1406. (4)

LACLEDE, 3702—One large front room, with alcove, suitable for four young men; gas, bath, furnace; all conveniences; room and breakfast, $2.75 each.

LAFAYETTE, 3205—Nicely furnished rooms, excellent board; home cooking; private family; terms reasonable. (7)

LAWTON, 2923—Extra warm rooms, superior board; refined; own home; $4 to $5.

LINDELL BL., 4027—Large, steam-heated rooms; special rates to young men; table first-class. (4)

LOCUST, 3145—Elegant, warm room, first-class board; gentlemen or couple; phone Bomont 771. (2)

McPHERSON, 3949A—Furnished room for couple, with board; phone Lindell 85.

McPHERSON, 4911—Exceptionally nice room, with board; gentleman or lady employed. Forest 3657.

McPHERSON, 4008A—Room and board, in private family, for two gentlemen; home cooking; sunny room. (4)

MAPLE, 5711—Large front room, with board, southern exposure; every convenience. (6)

MARYLAND, 4244—Neatly furnished rooms, with meals and bath, in private family; phone.

MISSOURI, 1421—Desirable, pleasant front and connecting rooms; first-class table; hot bath; phone. (1)

MISSISSIPPI, 1221—Neatly furnished second-story front; board, furnace heat; phone; block from Lafayette Park. (5)

MISSISSIPPI, 1532—Opposite Lafayette Park, room with board, for two gentlemen, reasonable. (3)

MORGAN, 4000—Room and board; call and see; phone; piano; parlor. (6)

MORGAN, 3501—Beautifully furnished rooms with best board and service; reasonable to permanent parties; Bell phone Bomont 406. (7)

MORGAN, 4203—Nicely furnished double and single rooms; home cooking; conveniences; reasonable; Lindell 4458.

MORGAN, 3962—Two large 2d-story well-furnished connecting rooms, with excellent board; in private family. (5)

OLIVE, 4279—Southern-exposed front room, for couple or 2 gentlemen; good table. (4)

OLIVE, 3738—Desirable, well-heated, pleasant rooms; good table; all convs. (6)

OLIVE, 3654—Nice warm rooms, with excellent board; $4 and $5 a week; convs. (5)

OLIVE, 2311—Clean, warm room and board; home cooking; $3.50 and $4.50 week.

OLIVE, 4221A—Nice, warm, steam-heated rooms, with board; private fam.; reas.

OLIVE, 4344—Bright southern-exposed room, with board; good table; fine heat; private family. (4)

OLIVE, 4019—Second-floor room, 2 or 3 gentlemen; also single room; good board. Lindell 3732. (4)

OLIVE, 4608—Exceptionally nice room with first-class board; $40 a month; modern conveniences; private. (5)

PAGE BL., 4642—Wanted, two nice gentlemen; warm room; strictly private family; splendid meals.

PAGE BL., 4515A—Front room, heat, bath; private family; board optional; reasonable. Delmar 3426J.

PAGE BL., 4831—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room, with first-class board; two gentlemen.

PAGE BL., 4603A—Elegantly furnished front room, gentlemen or couple; every convenience; board optional.

PARK, 3130—Rooms, with board; also single room, $4 per week. (6)

PARK, 2035—Elegantly furnished rooms; first-class board; opposite Lafayette Park; furnace heat.

PESTALOZZI, 3533—Opposite Tower Grove Park; large hot water heated southern-exposed room; first-class board; references; three car lines. (4)

ROOMS AND BOARD—Maple av., near Belt; Suite of first-class rooms, with board; phone Forest 3379.

ROOM AND BOARD—Single or double room and board, refined family; West End. Forest 6534. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD—Single rooms in new hot-water-heated apartment, near Hamilton av.; excellent board; $25 monthly. Box O 164, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Large front corner room, well furnished; south and west exposure; hot-water heat; choice location; corner house; first-class board; phone Lindell 5095.

SHENANDOAH, 4028A—Nicely furnished room, with or without board.

TEXAS, 3722—Neatly furnished room, without board, for two gentlemen. (4)

VERNON, 5040—Furnished front and connecting rooms; excellent table; steam heat; Bell phone.

VERNON, 4708—Nice, large, clean, beautiful front sitting room, connecting bedroom, suitable for two or four persons; hot bath, modern, phone; congenial, pleasant home for refined people; first-class home table; very reasonable. (3)

WASHINGTON, 3107—Rooms, with board; phone Bomont 96. (6)

WASHINGTON, 2117—2d and 3d story, with or without board, for 2 people. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 3702—Nicely furnished rooms, single or double; very reasonable.

WASHINGTON, 2042—Furnished rooms, with or without board; steam heat; phones. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 4411—Room and first-class table board for gentlemen; references exchanged. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 4111—Large front and single room; excellent table; all conv.; refs. exchanged.

WASHINGTON BL., 4314—Front room, with board for two; hot-water heat; Bell phone. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 4612-4608—Newly furnished rooms, first-class board; also table board.

WASHINGTON BL., 3964—Beautiful rooms, second floor, with board; every convenience; Bell phone. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4210—Desirable, well-heated southern exposed rooms, with board. Phone Lindell 2289. (82)

WASHINGTON, 3620—Elegantly furnished suite of 2d-floor rooms, steam heat; superior table; phone; also two single rooms. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4301—Nicely furnished connecting second-floor front rooms; also single room, with board; German cooking; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON BL., 3881—Large second-story front room for gentlemen, southern exposure; good board; plenty of heat; also small room; Lindell 1292. (3)

WASHINGTON BL., 4956—Well heated, nicely furnished rooms for 5; best home cooking; all conveniences; phone Forest 4123.

WEST BELLE PL., 4168—First-class rooms and board. (5)

WEST BELLE PL., 4116—Large second-story room, southern exposure; good board, for two. Lindell 1461. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4064—Second-story front; board for two, $10; room for lady employed.

WEST BELLE PL., 3971—Large connecting 2d-floor rooms; southern exposure; elegantly furnished; separate or en suite; hot bath; modern conv.; best board; private family; refs. exchanged. Delmar 3904L.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3908—Nicely furnished rooms, with excellent board; reasonable; Bell phone. (7)

WEST PINE BL., 4103—Front room, suitable for two; private family. (7)

WEST PINE BL., 3756—Large second-story front room, with alcove; pleasant surroundings; good board. (7)

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young man; reasonable; state terms. Box T 107, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For man, wife and little girl; West End preferred; private family. Box O 175, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For man and wife; west of Grand av.; give best terms. Box T 188, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—In private Jewish family in West End, by young lady employed; will exchange references. Box O 15, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—Two furnished rooms, with board, private family; must be first-class; young couple; references. Box T 89, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By a couple with 3-year-old child, room and board in West End; give full particulars and terms. Box T 83, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Room, with or without board, by a young couple, in the neighborhood of Maple and Bartmer av. Box T 102, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Room and board in private family; West End, for couple and single young man; must be good location; no boarding houses need answer. Box T 93, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SUBURBAN BOARD

BOARD—2 persons can have board in private family; Webster Groves; convenient to cars and trains. Box R 11, Post-Dispatch. (3)

Houses, Flats, etc.

FLATS FOR RENT

ALBION PL., 2334—Southeast corner Jefferson; new, modern second-story four-room flat; furnace. (4)

ARLINGTON, 1383—Four nice, large rooms; bath, hot and cold water; nice location, etc.; only $20. (7c)

ARMSTRONG, 1112A—4 elegant light rooms and laundry; no children; $16. (4)

BAYARD, 1319A—6 rooms; everything modern; rent $27.50. Keys at corner grocery. Cornet & Zeibig, 719 Chestnut. (8c)

BLAIR, 3113—Three-room flat; water, gas; fine condition; rent reasonable; see this.

BOTANICAL, 3857—Five-room flat, all conveniences; rent reduced to $25. (4)

CLAYTON, 4535 (near Forest Park)—Best rock-front 6-room flat in city; bath and furnace; rent $25. Greer R. E. Co., 109 N. 9th st. (16c)

EVANS, 4236—Four rooms and bath; gas fixtures, screens; hot water, first floor.

EVANS, 4054—Modern flat, 4 rooms and bath, w. c., etc.; $16 per month. Adam Wenzlick, 1010 Chestnut st.

FLAT—Three rooms, bath, furnace, stable; by March 1; rent $25. Ad. T 76, Post-Dispatch. (88)

HICKORY, 3142—Four light rooms, with hall; newly decorated.

LACLEDE, 3693—Three rooms, with bath, $15; no children; young couple preferred; second floor.

LOUISIANA, 2342—Half block south of Shenandoah; four rooms, with bath, $19. Wanstrath, 815 Chestnut st. (4c)

McREE, 4137—5 modern, new light rooms; chandeliers refrigerators; convenient for two; couple, $23.

MORGAN, 4122—Steam-heated, best-arranged 6-room flat in town; gas range; gas water heater; gas fixtures and shades; $35; including heat; open. W. E. Ingalls, 1226 Olive. (3c)

MONTCLAIR, 1208A—Five-room, hot water-heated flat; janitor service, combination fixtures, screens, gas grates and grates and gas ranges and laundry stoves; rent $45. W. E. Parker R. E. Co., 617 Chestnut. (8c)

NEWSTEAD, 346 N.—Modern 6-room apartment; furnace, etc. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

NORTH MARKET, 4596—New three-room flats, $15.50. (6)

PAGE BL., 5009—Near Academy; two fine 4-room flats, fixtures, furnace; open.

ST. LOUIS, 2517—Five rooms; bath, etc.; modern. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut.

ST. LOUIS, 2340—New flat, 5 rooms, etc.; hot-water heat. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

WALNUT, 3405A—Four nice rooms and bath (enamel), in good order; $17. Chas. F. Vogel, 624 Chestnut st. (3)

WARREN, 2521-27A-31—Modern new 6-room flats, porcelain baths, gas fixtures, granitoid basement, etc.; open. Claude E. Vrooman, 8½ N 8th st. Phone Main 596; Central 380. (8c)

WELLS, 5040—New, light 5-room flat, bath, chandeliers, screens, gas grate, laundry. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4130—Five rooms, first floor; bath, etc.; furnace; $25. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

WINDSOR PL., 3808—Modern 6-room flat; furnace, etc. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

WRIGHT, 1418—Four large rooms, 1st floor; newly decorated; water, fuel and gas; $16.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

FIFTEENTH, 817 N.—Six-room house; $20. McCann-Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

KENNERLY, 3906—Four rooms, bath, gas range, linens, silverware; nice home; call afternoon or evening. (5)

LAFAYETTE, 3130—8 rooms, furnace, etc.; excellent order; janitor service; one-half month's rent free; rent $37.50. Key at 3128. (8c)

LEFFINGWELL, 208 S.—Six-room house; gas, bath, good order; $21. Key at 210.

MICHIGAN, 1717—6 rooms, hot-water heat; janitor service; rent $27.50. Key at 3138 Lafayette av.; half month's rent free. (8c)

THEODOSIA, 5645—Five-room cottage.

DON'T worry your life out trying to rent your property; let me swap it. Hemenway, 216 Liggett Bldg. (7)

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

BELL, 3130—Cheapest furnished flat in city; 6 bedrooms, kitchen, large reception hall, gas range, furnace and everything complete for housekeeping; Bell phone in house; $37.50; call up Delmar 3248J for further information.

CABANNE, 5650—Eight-room newly furnished flat, steam-heated, janitor service; every modern convenience; will rent cheap. Forest 2694.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Furnished six-room apartment, steam heat, hot water; Cabanne district. Forest 6284.

FURNISHED FLAT—Completely furnished flat in exchange for board for lady and daughter 7 years old. Del. 3601X. (4)

PAGE BL., 4926—Four-room furnished flat.

WEST BELLE PL., 4401—Three-room furnished flats; hot bath. (7)

FURNISHED FLAT.

4113 West Pine bl., choice 6-room flat all conveniences; nicely furnished and furniture in good condition; steam heat; janitor service, etc.; see janitor on premises for admission to flat or call up.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 718 Chestnut. (34c)

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—For reliable couple. Box T 171, Post-Dispatch. (3)

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

EASTON, 5048—Large store; special concessions to good tenant; low rent. (8c)

LAWTON, 3400—Corner storeroom, suitable for grocery, meat market, dry goods, etc.; counters and shelving installed. Apply at 423 Laclede Bldg.; Main 2146, Central 4179. (57xc)

LOCATION—One of the best locations for moving picture show, between 6th and Broadway. Apply 516 Walnut st. (3)

OFFICES — To rent, large office rooms, 2d floor 1010 Olive; one of the best locations in city for dentist or specialist. Apply at Keller's Studio, 1010 Olive st. (4)

PENDLETON, 1822—Small store, suitable for any small business; $10 per month. Adam Wenzlick, 1010 Chestnut st.

STORE—Elegant store on Pine st., near 6th; rent cheap; lease. Box T 197, Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, 2946—Seven-room steam-heated flat, for doctor's office; janitor service.

WANTED FOR BUS. PURPOSES.

MEAT MARKET Wtd.—To rent, meat market in South St. Louis. Box T 156, P.-D. (5)

HOUSES, ROOMS, FLATS—WANTED

FLAT Wtd.—Young couple with 20-months-old baby desires flat or rooms in private family, either in Tuxedo or Maplewood. Box A 115, Post-Dispatch. (4c)

FLAT Wtd.—Five or six-room flat; modern; in good condition; in West End; janitor service. Call at 1200 Third National Bank Bldg. or phone Olive 363, Central 3576. (3)

ROOMS Wtd.—2 rooms for 3 adults, between Laclede and Morgan; terms. Box O 74, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Large, unfurnished room, by single gentleman, on or within one block of car line, west of Grand av., $10 or $12 per month; no flat. Box T 88, Post-Dis.

ROOM Wtd.—By young couple, in private family; with modern conveniences; reasonable; west of Grand av. Mr. Burare, 304 N. Garrison.

ROOM Wtd.—By a gentleman, one large neatly furnished room and bath, in private family; boundary Lafayette and Accomac, Jefferson and Nebraska. Ad. W. S. D., 620 Wright Bldg. (c)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT

COTTAGE—Webster; new 5-room cottage; $16. Greer R. E. Co., 109 N. 9th st. (16c)

For Sale—Wanted

ANIMALS.

DOGS—For sale, French poodle puppies, long, silky hair; cheap. 217 N. 13th st. (3)

DOG—For sale, French poodle, long silky hair; cheap. 217 N. 13th st. (6)

DOGS Wtd.—For cash, all breeds of male puppies; state price, age. 811 N. 9th. (4)

DOGS—For sale, dogs of all kinds. St. Louis Dog and Bird Exchange, 1523 Market. (6)

DOG—For sale, bull terrier, 6 months old, pedigreed, cheap; Chase-Edgewood-Bottle Breed. 3048 Locust st.

PUP Wtd.—Brindle bull terrier pup; must be reasonable. Ad. P. O. Box 124, Ferguson, Mo. (4)

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut st. (8)

BUILDING MATERIAL.

BUILDING plans by architect; two-flat, $15; cottages, $10. Box T 119, P.-D. (3)

CLOTHING.

SUIT—For sale, dress suit, size 39. C. P. Reber, 3310 Ohio av.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

PASTURAGE.

HORSES grain, hay fed, stabled, pastured, $3.50 month; accommodations complete; references. R. M. Adams, Laclede rd., Old Orchard, Mo., phone Webster 252. (7)

FOR SALE

A1 OUTFITS for rent or sale; horse, storm buggy and top wagons. Decker's stables, 19th and Chestnut. (8)

BUGGIES—For sale, reliable storm buggies, peddling, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, carpenter, painter, whitener, plasterer, plumber, tinner, platform top wagons and truck spring stake wagons, $55 to $225. John Tobinka, 1340 N. 7th st. (15)

HORSE—For sale, good draft horse. Apply 8th and Park. Hollrah-Dieckmann. (5c)

HORSE—For sale, elegant dark bay saddler and driver, 15 hands; bargain. Manton, 2100 O'Fallon.

HORSE—For sale, horse, harness, wagon; will sell reasonable; good for express or grocery. 313 N. 22d st.

HORSES—For sale, 14 reliable horses and mares, $10 up. Western Transfer Co., 904 N. Jefferson av.

HORSES—For sale, six mares, 6 work horses, one mare, heavy in foal, cheap. Apply 2634 Morgan.

HORSES—For sale, team work mares; will sell separate; quitting business. 209 N. Jefferson; rear.

HORSE—For sale, 6-year-old black horse, storm buggy; separate. Restaurant, 2904 Olive st.

HORSE—For sale, horse for farm or delivery; also double set hack harness. Transfer Co., 527 Collinsville, East St. Louis, Ill.

HORSES—For sale, cheap, cash or on time, horses, wagons, harness; going to quit business; barn for rent. E. House, 4472 Clayton. (8c)

HORSE—For sale, 8-year-old work horse; also one 7-year-old driver; must sell, regardless of price. Call rear of 3021 Washington av. (4)

HORSE—For sale, bay horse and harness, $25; also double harness; $6 to $12; light and heavy single buggy and express, $8 to $7; like new. 1032 Morrison.

MARE—For sale, young brood mare; also large draft team; dirt cheap. 4119 Cook.

MARES—For sale, 6 good farm mares, 3 farm mares, big mule, wagons. 2725 Clark.

MARES—For sale, 8 mares and horses, 2 mares in foal, harness. 3215 Easton.

MARE—For sale, small fast trotting mare, 8 years old, sound; must sell; $45; rear 2721 University.

MARES—For sale, match team big mares, several other mares and horses; cheap. 2816 Washington av.

MARES—For sale, 14 reliable mares and horses, various sizes, $10 up; two good teams, guaranteed. Eureka Transfer Co., 2209 Pine st.

MULES—For sale, 300 mules, mares, horses; all stock guaranteed as represented. Maher Sale Stable, 1525 N. Broadway. (56x)

WAGONS—For sale, furniture car, 1 coal wagon, one light wagon and white mare. 3442 Missouri.

AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Will exchange good-paying, new and second-hand furniture business for a four-cylinder automobile, value $600. For particulars ad. Box R 9, Post-Dispatch. (83)

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, two-cylinder auto-car Rambler, Reo and others; also several four-cylinder cars. Acme Automobile Co., 3944 Olive st. (83c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

BEAUTIFUL mahogany parlor furniture, weathered library suit, elegant dining furniture, brass beds, iron beds, oak, mahogany dressers, chiffoniers, tables, rockers, rugs, curtains, pictures, linoleum, gas range, water heater, refrigerator, lady's desk, bookcase, bric-a-brac, cabinets, imported rugs, etc.; also elegant mahogany piano; will sell separately; those contemplating housekeeping call immediately; must sacrifice. 4187 Washington bl. (3)

BEDROOM SETS, $3; wardrobe, $3; sideboards, $3; ranges, $3; dressers; selling out. 1722 S. 11th st. (23c)

COLONIAL BEDSTEAD—For sale, walnut, high square posts; in possession present owner 63 years; make offer. Box T 141, Post-Dispatch.

COUCH—For sale, leather box couch, good as new; walnut folding bed with large mirror; dressers, washstands, walnut bed, mattresses, Charter Oak range, gasoline range, rockers, chairs, high bench wringer, refrigerator; breaking up housekeeping. 2736A Hickory st. (4)

FIXTURES—For sale, gas fixtures and gas range, heating stove, baseburner. 2701A Ann av.

FOLDING BED—For sale, handsome upright folding bed; will sacrifice; leaving city. 2611 Glasgow av. (5)

FURNITURE—For sale, leaving city, furniture of 3-room flat; must be sold at once. 2731 Henrietta. (4)

FURNITURE—For sale, nice furniture of 1 room, complete for light housekeeping; cheap; call from 9 to 11 a. m., 4 to 8 p. m. 3071½ Pine st., room 12.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale; I will sell in part or all together the entire contents of my handsomely furnished 6-room flat, including parlor, bedroom, dining room furniture, rugs, curtains, etc.; call any time. 5008 Delmar bl. (5c)

GAS STOVE—For sale; and some other furniture. 3031 Easton av.

RANGE—For sale, Peninsular range, at half price. 3615 Laclede av.; also gas range. (3)

RANGE—For sale, latest style Home Comfort range, nearly new; will sell cheap. 2743 Morgan st.

RANGES AND HEATERS—For sale, all standard makes, slightly used; easy payments. Prosser's, 3221 Olive st. (8c)

TABLE—For sale, dining-room extension table, solid oak, slightly used, at bargain. 2335 Park av.

TO CASH BUYERS.

Please take notice; we have several consignments of both new and used fine and medium grades of brass beds, dressers, chiffoniers, tables, parlor furniture, sideboards, extension tables, chairs, rockers, buffets, desks, leather furniture and other miscellaneous furniture, all in different woods; rugs, from cheapest to best, all sizes; lovely patterns; also some good upright pianos, Steinways and other high grades, all at prices you will buy; a word to the wise is sufficient; visit our private sales department, 3615 to 3621 Laclede av.
R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO. (5c)

Second-Hand House Furnishings.

The largest stock in the city to select from; cash or time; big auction every Tuesday.
STOECKER & PRICE STORAGE AND AUCTION CO., 2007-11 Morgan st. (8c)

Our Location Saves You Money

If you want to save at least 35 per cent, call and see us. We carry a full line of furniture of all kinds. New and slightly used iron beds as low as $1.90 and up. Brass beds at $18 and up, and all other goods in proportion. We sell for cash or time.
LANGAN WAREHOUSE, 2004 Morgan. (33c)

AUCTION

Thursday, Feb. 6, at 10:30 a. m., at 1721 Washington av., entire contents of 20-room hotel; extra large lot of bedding.
STOECKER & PRICE, Auctioneers. (c)

FEBRUARY CLEAN SWEEP SALE

Price is no object in this sale. We want the room.
Wilson heaters, $6.40; steel ranges, $11; cook stoves, $7; oil heaters, $2; gasoline stove, $1.20; bedroom suits, $8; woven wire springs, 80c; large wardrobes, $5; iron beds, with good spring and mattress, complete, $4.90, upright folding beds, 18x40 French plate glass, $12.60; brace arm rockers, $1.65; parlor suits, $5.50; Kindel davenports, in velour covers with felt mattress, $18; sanitary couches, with fancy pad, $6.50; tufted top couches, $5.90; Brussels room rugs, $7.50; ingrain room rugs, $2.55; window shades, 10c.
Three-room outfit, complete, for $54. Terms: $5 cash, $4 month.
H. WALKER FURNITURE CO., 1219-1221 Spruce, 2d floor. (4c)

FURNISHED HOUSES AND FLATS

FURNISHED COTTAGE—For sale, cheap, contents of 3-room cottage. 3607 Clay. (4)

FURNITURE—Must sell at once, cheap, contents of 5-room flat; party leaving city. 726½ N. Compton.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—For sale, contents of a finely furnished 6-room apartment, on account of leaving city; nearly new. 5051 Fairmount av. (34)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, handsome piano and player and very fine upright folding bed; also complete furnishings of 3-room flat; will sacrifice all and rent place for $11 month; rent free till March 1; will sell separately or whole. 2611 Glasgow av., Cass cars. (5)

TYPEWRITERS

TYPEWRITERS—All makes rebuilt at greatly reduced prices; rentals, 2 months, $5. Typewriter Exchange, 208 N. 9th st. (8c)

TYPEWRITERS—Blick typewriters, half the price of other standard machines, fully guaranteed; rentals $2 per month. The Blickensderfer Mfg. Co., 218 Wright Bldg. (8c)

TYPEWRITERS — For sale, Remington, Smith, Oliver, Underwood typewriters, $25 to $50; others, $15; rentals, 2 months, $5. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 810 Olive st. (8)

STENOGRAPHERS furnished promptly; no fees. Remington Typewriter Co., 806 Pine st. Both phones. (8c)

SAFES

SAFE—For sale, one large safe, $35. 3204 Lucas av. (4)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.

FURNITURE Wtd.—Cash paid for furniture, iceboxes. Clark & Rice, 3110 Easton av. Central 9721J. (5)

FURNITURE Wtd.—And household goods for shipment South; highest cash price paid; drop postal; no trouble to call. Ott, 1410 Pendleton av. (4)

FURNITURE Wtd.—I wish to purchase for cash the furniture, carpets and other contents of nicely furnished flat or residence; possession wanted at once. Ad. O. W. Berg, 1725 Carroll st., phone Sidney 2981. (8c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Central 5532 Bomont 807. Prosser's, 3221 Olive st. (8c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Badly; send postal. McClay, 1432 Franklin; Central 5478; Olive 3133. (8c)

STOVE Wtd.—Good stove or range; must be cheap. 4159 McRee.

HIGHEST price paid for furniture and household goods. Kinloch Central 9718L. A. Eastlick, 1818 Franklin av. (5)

LIBERAL prices for household goods, contents dwellings, pianos. Dickson, 4029 McPherson. Lindell 1338. (5)

ABSOLUTELY best place for furniture, stoves, carpets, feathers. Bensinger's, 2033 Franklin. Central 6585. (14)

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for feather beds; will pay each bed, $10, $30, or $1 pound. Central 6912L, Main 4812. Gilbert, residence 1419 Carr. (8c)

ALWAYS see us before selling household goods; highest prices paid; send postal; or phone. Bensinger Bros., 1700 Franklin; Central 6662; Olive 768. (14)

BEFORE moving, sell feathers and furniture don't want; send postal. Ashton, Jefferson and La Salle st. (4)

BEST prices for furniture all kinds; buy entire contents residences or flats; 3615 Laclede av.; phone Delmar 2544; Lindell 4741. R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO. (8c)

FEATHER PILLOW CO. pays highest price in city for feathers. 1111 S. Jefferson. (4)

HIGHEST cash price paid for household goods; entire contents of flats and residences bought. Stoecker & Price Storage and Auction Co., 2009 Morgan st., Bell Bomont 685; Central 6112. (8c)

MACHINERY.

FOR SALE

ENGINES—For sale, gasoline engines, all sizes and styles; call or phone Dement Co., 1616 Chestnut. (8c)

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

CASH REGISTER—For sale, National cash register cheap; in good working order. 1858 Park. (4c)

COAL—Delivered; Standard, 11c; Sunlight, 12c. Johnson Coal Co., Central 5612, Main 2616. (15c)

COAL—Dorr's high-grade, 12c; standard, 11c per bu delivered. Ad. Dorr Coal Co., 2634 Morgan; phone Central 3394.

COON HOLLOW whisky, bottled in bond. Frank Borchers, 1117 Pine st. (8c)

DESKS—For sale, slightly used roll, flat and typewriter desks. Central 3662R, Olive 2365. Edw. L. Little Office Furniture and Fixture Co., 1607 Olive st. (8c)

DIAMOND—For sale, 1-karat perfect white diamond, cheap. Box T 104, Post-Dis.

DRESS SUIT—For sale, Tuxedo coat and other second-hand clothes. 118 N. 7th st. (3)

MEMBERSHIP—For sale, Merchants' Exchange membership; price $150. Box R 89, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MISSOURI OPTICAL CO. tests eyes free; glasses guaranteed to fit, 50c. 607 Franklin av. (14c)

OFFICE and store fixtures bought and sold. Max Merinbaum, 808-10 N. 7th st., Central 4796L. (8c)

OUR floor paints are the best. Mechanics' Paint Co., 707 S. 4th st., 1911 Park. (8c)

OVERCOATS—For sale, 300 overcoats; will sell for from $2 to $5. Jaeger Loan and Jewelry Co., 2615-19 Olive st. (3c)

PAWNTICKET—For sale; for diamond stud, in for $85. Box T 105, Post-Dispatch.

PAWNTICKET — For sale; for diamond ring, in for $20. Box T 106, P.-D.

PIPE—For sale, 30,000 feet 1¼-inch pipe; will sell in quantity to suit. Greenspoon & Son, 1548 N. Broadway. (80c)

SCALE—For sale, McGrew agate bearing counter scale, used three months, cost $20, good as new; take it at your own price; make offer. Box T 108, Post-Dis. (4)

SECOND-HAND cash registers bought, sold and repaired; 2 years' guarantee on every register sold; cash or monthly payments. Office, 1111 Pine. Central 2196, Olive 355. (36c)

SHELVING—For sale, window fixtures, skirt rack, National cash register, in first-class condition. 716 N. Taylor av. (5)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

CHAIRS Wtd.—60 second-hand chairs. Kinloch Central 2440. 1339 Park av.

FURNACE Wtd.—Second-hand hot-air furnace; no Star furnace. Ad. George Deeman, 6414 Etzel. (5)

SCRAP IRON Wtd.—Highest price paid. Louisiana Contracting Co. Phone Lindell 956. 3840 Duncan av. (8)

URN Wtd.—Will buy if cheap. Call or address 1430 Morgan st.

ABSOLUTELY best price for old clothes; pay, suits and overcoats, $5, $10; feathers, 85c pound. Gilbert, res., 1419 Carr st. Central 6912L. Main 4812. (8c)

ABSOLUTELY best prices for gents' old clothes, shoes, feathers; postal or call at store. Yatkeman, 2309 Market st.; Central 674L. Bomont 1910. (8c)

CASH paid for jewelry stores and stocks. L. Blumenkranz & Co., s. e. cor. 17th and Market sts. (8c)

DON'T you want cash instead of your talking machine. Dealers don't answer. Box T 195, Post-Dispatch.

MISSOURI OPTICAL CO. tests eyes free; glasses guaranteed to fit, 50c. 607 Franklin av. (14c)

BARGAINS in evening and street dresses; ladies' and gentlemen's cast-off clothes bought. Mrs. Miller, 607 Walnut; Central 871L. Olive 1243. (55)

SEWING MACHINES

SEWING MACHINE—For sale, drophead Singer sewing machine, all attachments, in good order, $15. 1628 N. 14th st.

SEWING MACHINE—Am forced to sell my latest golden oak Singer, used 2 months only, cheap if taken at once. Box O 28, Post-Dispatch.

SEWING MACHINE—For sale, drophead 5-drawer golden oak Singer sewing machine, with complete attachments; very cheap; leaving city. 3736 Finney av. (80c)

SEWING MACHINE—Leaving city; must sell at once; my boxtop machine, $5; has all attachments, in perfect condition. Box O 72, Post-Dispatch.

HEADQUARTERS for new sewing machines, any make, $11 to $40; good drophead used machines, $8; machines rented, any make, $1.50 per month; repairing, $1, guaranteed. S. W. Albright S. M. Co., 1242 Franklin av., Olive 1412, Central 5521. (8c)

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Wilcox & Gibbs automatic, $35; Singer and other machines, dropheads, $15; used boxtops, $4 up; machines rented, $1.50 to $3 per month; repairing, $1. Main 2778, Central 5500.
NEW HOME PARLORS, 1208-10 Franklin av. (c)

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

DESK—For sale, one double flat-top desk, 4x5 feet, with 13 drawers and cabinet. Apply 803 Holland Bldg. (c)

SHOWCASE Wtd.—Floor showcase, 8 or 10 feet long. The Royal Shoe Co., 205 N. 6th st. (5c)

TO EXCHANGE.

HARDWARE Wtd.—Will exchange 80-acre stock and fruit farm, 20 acres orchard, 1¼ miles from railroad, for hardware or grocery. 2831 Clara av. (7)

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

FREE—$1 FREE.
Pick out any watch or diamond in our stock and we will accept this ad as $1 in payment; the balance can be paid for in weekly or monthly installments to suit your convenience; our stock of jewelry is the most complete in the city and the prices are decidedly lower than others ask for similar goods. We are offering two special watch bargains this month; a 21-jewel adjusted gold-filled Hampden watch for $29 and a 17-jewel Elgin gold-filled watch for $17, etc. Remember, this ad is $1 on the purchase price. Cut it out and bring it with you.
I. D. STRELITZ, 415 Locust st., 2d floor. (65c)

Business Chances

BUSINESS FOR SALE

ATTENTION—$350 buys business that clears $30 weekly; suit anyone, as experience is not necessary; will stand investigation; reason for selling, another larger business requires all my time. Box T 145, P.-D. (2)

BAKERY—For sale, good-paying bakery and confectionery, $900; near St. Louis; investigate. Box R 28, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CIGAR STORE—For sale; downtown; income $22 daily; price $230 cash. LARGE INVESTMENT CO., 802 Chestnut. (4)

FURNITURE BUSINESS—Will exchange new and second hand furniture business for a four-cylinder automobile; for particulars ad. Box R 19, Post-Dispatch. (83)

GROCERY—For sale, grocery store; clean, fresh stock; owner leaving city; call at once. 2048 Obear. (4c)

GROCERY—$150 will buy grocery store; 2 living rooms; rent $14. IDEAL INVESTMENT CO., 810 Chestnut st.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

GROCERY—For sale, grocery; have other business; must sell. Apply 2704 S. Jefferson, upstairs.

LUNCHROOM—For sale; clears $2.50 to $4 daily; price $100. THE SMALL INVESTMENT CO., 902 Chestnut.

MEAT MARKET—For sale, meat market, one that will take your eye; price right; fixtures new; cash counter trade. 3808 Evans.

MILLINERY—For sale, millinery store, cheap if sold at once. 2104 S. Broadway. (c)

POOLROOM—Saratoga poolroom for sale; old stand; going out of city. 2838 Olive. (7)

POOLROOM—For sale; business runs from $20 to $30 week; $160. 1219 Poplar.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant, lunchroom; downtown district; party leaving city. 1139 Olive st. (4)

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant, downtown, clearing $7 daily; take cash and see. LARGE INVESTMENT CO., 802 Chestnut. (4)

RESTAURANT—For sale, first-class restaurant, well located, now doing a profitable business; reason for selling, other business, which requires my time. Inquire 4243 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 rooms, furnished; cheap. 2812 Eugenia. (3)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; 10 rooms, furnished, cost $1000; sacrificing; $350 cash. NEWBERRY, 802 Chestnut. (4)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, good proposition; clearing $50 month; cheap. 707 N. Leffingwell.

ROOMING HOUSE—$125 will buy 12-room rooming house, heated by stoves; roomers buy the coal; see this bargain. IDEAL INVEST. CO., 810 Chestnut st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Seven rooms; steam heat, Olive, near Grand; rent $25; 3 rooms rented pay rent. IDEAL INVESTMENT CO., 810 Chestnut st.

SALOON—For sale, first-class saloon. 2803 Marcus av. (5)

I CAN SWAP your business to a lot better advantage than you can sell it. HEMENWAY, 216 Liggett Bldg. (7)

BUSINESS CHANCES.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Write for prices on relinquishments, deeded land and town lots; ask about business opportunities in the coming country of the West. A. G. Walker & Son, Melrose, N. M. (14)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Well-established, incorporated firm need additional capital to take of fast increasing, profitable, legitimate business, with or without services. Box A 108, Post-Dispatch. (7c)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, St. Louis business man who can invest from $200 to $3500 immediately in manufacturing business that is absolutely sound. Box T 112, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, to invest, with services, in an established business; manufacturing preferred; sharp cash; give particulars as to line you have to offer and sum desired; highest reference. Box T 166, Post-Dispatch. (3)

BUSINESS CHANCE—A high-class business man, who has been identified with the wholesale and manufacturing interest of this city several years, would invest capital and service in a legitimate and profitable business; no attention will be paid to answers which do not give full particulars. Box O 77, Post-Dispatch. (53xc)

BAKERS—We sell movable bake ovens, guaranteed satisfactory; for cash or on time payments. Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 216 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

I MADE $50,000 in five years in the mail-order business; began with $5; anyone can do the work; send for free booklet; tells how to get started. Manager, Box 570, Lockport, N. Y. (8c)

$200 PER MONTH in the real estate business; $10 capital will start you; experience unnecessary, as I prepare you and appoint you my special representative; write for my free book. C. H. Gray, president, 854 Century Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (8)

WOULD you invest a few hundred dollars in a business of your own which will pay you at once? Box T 168, Post-Dis. (3)

BARTENDERS' masquerade ball, Feb. 5, Turner Hall; Teddy's Bracer, that's all. Carl von Hartzfelt. (3)

ASSISTANT MANAGER WANTED.

Want honest, sober man with $1000 as assistant factory manager; you can make over $1860 per year; no risk; references. Box T 186, Post-Dispatch.

LADY MANAGER WANTED.

Bright, honest lady with $1500 as manager for strictly cash business; prefer to room and board with you, where business can be conducted very profitably; bank references; no risk. Box T 184, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED.

CIGAR STORE Wtd.—Good one; give full particulars. Box T 100, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY Wtd.—To buy a complete grocery and meat market, fresh, clean goods; new fixtures, etc; reasonable rent and a real bargain; answer quick. Ad. T 82, P.-D.

HOTEL Wtd.—European hotel or large rooming house, for cash. Ad. T 81, Post-Dis.

LADIES', men's and children's clothing on credit; representative will call. Box G 150, Post-Dispatch. (34)

ST. LOUIS DOLL HOSPITAL, Mrs. Thomas R. Dennis is claimed by her customers to be the best wig, braid and puff maker in the country; it will be to your interest to call on her when needing hair work done. 6116 Easton.

BIJOU CANDY STORE.

114 N. Broadway. Today bargain day. Our 40c caramels, 20c a pound.
HEMBERGER, formerly 3607 Finney av.

SMOKING CHIMNEYS CURED

Guarantee to make them draw; furnaces cleaned; whitewashing by machine.
ENTERPRISE COMPRESSED AIR AND WHITENING CO., 1118 Chestnut st. Central 4438, Main 3590. (34c)

Business Cards

SPECIAL NOTICES.

HARRIS, custom-made $4 shoes. 407 N. 6th st., never hurt your feet. (16)

STORAGE AND MOVING.

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF WAREHOUSES—New and indestructible, for safekeeping furniture, pianos, valuables, trunks, boxes, etc.; clean rooms, strictly first-class moving, packing, shipping; ship goods our care; money advanced; get our rates. R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO., Grand and Laclede; both phones. (8c)

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2315 Olive st.; moving, packing, shipping, storage; separate rooms; both phones. W. M. Langdale, president. (8)

BONDED WAREHOUSE—Henry C. Wiehe Furniture and Storage Co., 1512-14-16 Franklin av.; money advanced when desired. Kinloch C430. (8)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 1901-1903 Sidney st.; telephone Sidney 235; Kinloch Victor 607. (8)

WALTER G. TAYLOR,

Formerly of Langan & Taylor, now with Stoecker & Price Storage and Moving Co., 2007-11 Morgan st., would be pleased to meet his old friends and customers. Now in better shape to handle moving, packing and shipping of household goods; money advanced. Goods taken in exchange for moving. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call up Bomont 685 or Central 6112. (8c)

FREIGHT FORWARDING.

REDUCED RATES for shipping household goods to Colorado and Pacific Coast points. JUDSON FREIGHT FORWARDING CO., 1501 Wright Bldg., Telephone Central 6000: Main 1245. (15c)

LACE CURTAIN CLEANING

MRS. MARY MURPHY, 4325 St. Louis av.; lace curtains cleaned, 25c pair; will call; write, phone Delmar 1791, Lindell 4549L. (8)

STEAM CARPET CLEANING.

ACME STEAM CARPET CLEANING, 1442 N. Grand; carpets called for and delivered everywhere. Lindell 1660, Delmar 1728. (8c)

ABSORENE CLEANING CO., incorporated; 9x12 rugs cleaned, 48c; oldest wall paper and fresco cleaners in town. Central 841; Tyler 1370. Works, 10th and North Market sts. (8c)

A CLEAN CARPET our guarantee, also upholstering. Globe Steam Carpet Cleaning and Renovating Co., 2625 Olive st. Central 4994, Bomont 852. (8)

AMERICAN Steam Carpet Cleaning Co., formerly at 19th and Pine, now at our new location, 2821 Easton; phone Bomont 946; Central 4967. (8c)

CHICAGO Steam Carpet Cleaning Co. Carpets renovated to look like new; also upholstering. Tel. Lindell 2030. Kinloch Delmar 2451. 3829 Finney av. (8c)

EMPIRE Steam Cleaning Co.—Carpets taken up, cleaned and made over and laid; lowest price. 2123 Lucas av.; Beaumont 220; Central 4305. (8c)

WALL PAPER CLEANING.

PAINTING, papering, at lowest prices, wall paper 15c on the wall and up; call or phone Forest 7543. Lawrence, 5635 Easton av. (83c)

ROOMS papered $2.50, paper included; phone Central 5534L. R. Lane, 3516 Cass.

ROOMS PAPERED from $2 up, including paper. Oakley & Ash, 2830 Cass; Central 9628X. (56c)

SOPHIR BROS., painting, papering; rooms, $2 up. 4470 Easton. Delmar 2350, Forest 1960. (8c)

J. D. HORNE, 2807 Wash st.; rooms papered and cleaned at lowest prices; both phones. (5)

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

AAA1—Cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 121 N. 11th st. (14)

LACE CURTAIN CLEANING

ALL Nottingham curtains laundered 25c pair delivered. Lindell 4305. Ellerd Curtain Laundry, 4110 Easton.

Professional

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

ALL legal matters and pensions faithfully attended to; advice given free. 1023 Chestnut st. (8)

CENTRAL LAW BUREAU, 813½ Chestnut, 2d floor; damage and divorce suits our specialty; prompt attention to all legal matters; advice free. (8)

DANCING.

DON'T fail to attend the moon dance at Weintrub's Academy, southwest corner 7th and Franklin, Sunday evening, Feb. 9. (7c)

HARDY DANCING SCHOOL, 3417 Pine, guarantees waltz and two-step, in private, with music, for $3 for short time only; receptions every Saturday evening; admission 25c, including cloakroom. (4)

ATTEND Prof. Weintraub's Dancing Academy, 7th and Franklin av.; receptions every Wednesday evening and Sunday afternoon and evening; class open for new beginners every Monday and Thursday evenings. (8c)

ATTEND receptions Central Dancing Academy; Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings; classes open for beginners Monday and Friday evenings; lesson, 25c. 3300 Easton. Prof. and Mrs. Roth. (4)

GRAND prize masquerade reception, Thursday evening, Feb. 6, Sterling Hall Dancing Academy, 4110 Chouteau; prize for finest lady's costume; also ladies' and gentlemen's comical costume. Prof. Schulte.

COLISEUM DANCING ACADEMY, 11th and Pine; select parties Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday evenings; open beginners' class Tuesday and Friday. Prof. and Mrs. Roth. (4)

ECLIPSE DANCING ACADEMY, Uhrig's Cave Hall, Washington and Jefferson avs.; select parties every Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings, Sunday afternoon and evenings; lessons Tuesday and Friday evenings, best floor; newest music. Ahern & Albers. (8c)

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HEAVYWEIGHTS WHO BROKE FLOOR WHILE FEASTING ON GROUNDHOG



An affair of great weight was the birthday party of Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer of Fidelity, Ill., on groundhog day. The Kramers and their three sons and five daughters weigh 2500 pounds and the combined weight of the relatives and friends who were present would tip the beam at 7000 pounds.

The only accident which marred this gathering of avordupois was the breaking of one of the floor supports in the dining room while the guests were feasting on real groundhog.

Of the 25 relatives present, 12 weighed more than 250 pounds and the lightest weighed 150 pounds.

Among the guests were H. A. Kramer and wife of St. Louis, J. W. E. Kramer and J. W. Kramer of Chicago, H. O. Tonsor and wife of Alton, J. Rodell and wife of Fidelity, Murray Ferguson and wife of Plasa, Henry Grimm of Granite City. The guest of honor was Karl Foerster, octogenarian, of Fidelity.

PROFESSORSHIP FOR THE HEN IS WANTED AT STATE SCHOOL OF ARGICULTURE

Poultry Association Says Egg-Layer Is of More Value Than Wheat Crop.

LINCOLN, Feb. 5.—If the State Penitry Association has its way about it, the next Legislature will appropriate $6000 to establish a chair on chickens at the State farm, and teach the proper ways of rearing the tender spring bird and the avoidance of roup and other devastating diseases.

At the meeting of the State association a resolution favoring that plan was adopted.

It is pointed out that the value of the entire chicken crop of the country is more than that of the wheat crop, and that if it is a good thing to spend thousands of dollars developing the industry, it is worth while doing it for the other.

The State will have a balance in the Treasury by next winter, and the poultry men think the money will be forthcoming.

STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION WOULD BE INCLUDED IN SPECIAL RATE SESSION

Women Are Holding Union Prayer Meetings to Drive Out the "Wet" Spots.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 5.—Should Gov. Patterson call an extra session of the Legislature for discussion of the passenger rate law, it is said that he will make the summons broad enough to include the prohibition movement also. The anti-saloon forces have been working in the field to extend prohibition over the entire State and in many cities special prayer meetings are being held and petitions being drafted.

The W. C. T. U. held a union prayer meeting at Nashville several hours being given to prayers for State-wide prohibition. Special Sunday services are being planned and it is said that a combined campaign of the pulpit will be made.

All of Tennessee is "dry" now but four towns, Memphis, Nashville, Chattanooga and La Follette.

KENTUCKY PLANS WAR ON CONSUMPTION THROUGH A MODEL STATE HOSPITAL

Bill Asking Appropriation for Sanitarium to Stop White Plague Ravages Introduced.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 5.—The bill which it is hoped will result in an appropriation being made for the purpose of fighting tuberculosis in Kentucky, and which has been prepared by Attorney John Marshall of Louisville, has been introduced in the Legislature.

Under the bill the sanitorium located near Louisville will be enlarged and those treated there given the food and attention which is absolutely necessary to effect a cure.

For these patients an abundance of the best food appropriate to their condition must be furnished. The cures in the past have been such that those interested in the movement feel encouraged to believe that still greater results could be obtained with the necessary financial assistance from the State. Already the sum of $23,000 has been spent on the sanitorium and it is possible to arrange accommodations there for 100 patients. The number of persons dying in Kentucky each year of consumption is so large that the ravages of the disease are now compared with that of smallpox, yellow fever and other such maladies.

"Fishes" for Geese.

BIBY, Ok., Feb. 5.—Tired of chahsing wild geese without getting close enough for a shot, John Pritchard baited a "trout" line with grains of corn. Within two hours, he says, he had seven fowls fluttering on the line.

Stomach Trouble Cured at Eighty

Mr. Zeno Thorp of Hutchinson, Kansas, Who Is 80 Years Old, After Suffering Years From Stomach Trouble, Weak Heart and Poor Circulation, Was Cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

In a recent letter Mr. Thorp wrote:—"I have been suffering for the last five years from stomach trouble, weak heart and poor circulation of blood. I doctored with the best three doctors I could find during two years, but received no relief. I was advised very strongly not to use any whiskey, and for two years went without it, but found that I would have to go back to Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which I had begun to use at the time I was doctoring. I have improved right along, and know that, taken in medicinal doses, such as you prescribe, it does me good. I am over eighty years of age, and shall use your tonic stimulant the rest of my life."

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TO EXPLORE DARK CAVE FOR "IMPS"

University Geologist and Students Will Brave Mystic Depths of Sulphur Cavern.

SULPHUR, Ok., Feb. 5.—Herman Douthitt, a member of Prof. Gould's class in geology, has written the owners of Mystic Cave that the entire class, headed by Prof. Gould, will come here equipped for a thorough and scientific exploration of this great and mysterious underground cavern. They will come prepared to spend several days in the cave, and will bring with them collapsible boots, life preservers, electric torches and scientific apparati.

A part of the class partially explored the cave during the Christmas holidays. Having no boat and no firearms, there were chambers they could not enter, and others they dared not.

Will Explore by Boat.

The explorers will sail far down Mystic River, expecting to find caverns much larger than the "River Chamber." The river becomes very deep after its passage from this chamber, but Prof. Gould and his class propose to launch their boats upon it and paddle far down the stream into a noisy and impenetrable darkness that no one has heretofore dared to enter.

The class will make a study of the animal life in the cave. A number of the white-eyed fish will be caught, and they will attempt to bag some of the animals or "imps" which inhabit the cave chamber.

These animals have never been seen and it is not known how large they are or what form they have. When torches are brought into the cave chamber they set up unearthly, unhuman and impish chatterings in the dense and impenetrable darkness on the outershore of the big lake. No one has yet dared to row across the lake. Shots fired at the animals or "imps" cause them to set up a chattering.

The "Cyclone Chamber," which no one has yet dared to enter, will be thoroughly investigated and explored by Prof. Gould and his class.

COTTON GROWERS' HEAD URGES OTHER CROPS BE GIVEN MORE ATTENTION

Farmers Are Sapping Soil by Adhering to One Line, He Asserts.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 5.—President Walter Clark of the Mississippi division of the Southern Cotton Association issues the following address:

"Shortly after the Southern Cotton Association was organized, cotton steadily advanced, and for the past three years the price has been much higher than for many years. While we do not claim the earth, we do claim that our efforts have had much to do with this condition, and we feel that our organization is entitled to the moral as well as the financial support of every man in Mississippi.

"In all of our work, we have endeavored to keep before the minds of our people the necessity for the diversification of crops and the improvement of the soils. While this subject is as old as the hills, it is none the less important—in fact, I believe it to be the most important business measure before our people today.

"A great many of our farmers are improving their soils; but I do not hesitate to say that where one acre of land is being improved and built up, 50 acres are being destroyed by the one-crop system. This question must be constantly agitated and kept before the minds of our people."

Hanged Self for Joke; Dead.

PARIS, Tex., Feb. 5.—Arthur Douglas, a negro cook, hanged himself in the home of his employer, H. J. Miller, as a joke to scare the children, it is thought. He slipped while showing them, and was dead when the boys, aged 4 and 6, called help.

Goat and Sheep Men Meet.

DEL RIO, Tex., Feb. 5.—The first State convention of goat and sheep raisers met here today with about 500 delegates present. An effort will be made to draft such laws as are needed. It is the intention to hold annual conventions to promote the wool and mohair interests of the State.

WIFE WILL SEE EARLE AND HIS AFFINITY MARRY

Artist and Miss Kuttner Are Now Visiting With Discarded One.

AWAITING THE DIVORCE

Jolly Trio Touring France Together and Having Good Time.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Julia Kuttner and Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the original "affinities," are soon to be married in Paris, thus fulfilling the strange compact which set aside the conventions of society and shocked the civilized world last September, when the artist shipped his wife and baby away to France to get a divorce, that he might be free to wed again.

Through the influence of C. F. Fischbacher, the father of Mrs. Earle, it is expected that the decree will be granted by the French courts within a very few weeks. Just as soon as this obstacle is removed there will be a wedding at which, it is said, the former Mrs. Earle will be a guest.

The Three Travel Together.

Each of the three principals in the romance is now in the French capital. Miss Kuttner's mother is with her as chaperon, and very recently Earle joined the party. Miss Kuttner, Mrs. Earle and the artist himself are said to be as companionable as ever, taking little trips together to Southern France and enjoying the gayeties of Parisian life.

The information comes from Alfred Kuttner, the brother, who was with Julia Kuttner when she was found in the Orange Mountains last autumn, and told the story of her love for the artist. He says:

"We expect to hear almost any day that the divorce which will permit Mr. Earle to marry my sister, as originally planned, has been granted. Mr. Fischbacher, Mrs. Earle's father, is working for it, and he is a very influential man in Paris."

Met in Settlement Work.

Alfred Kuttner said he had no knowledge of the plans his sister and the artist may have for the future. He admitted, however, that they had both given up settlement work and were likely to give their attention to other pursuits when they returned to the United States.

It was this brother who first fell in with the radical views of Ferdinand Pinney Earle and Julia Kuttner. He was himself interested in settlement work, and with his sister spent much time at that occupation. Earle was of the same bent, and in this way the young persons first became acquainted.

The phase of the story which so startled society was enacted when Earle and Miss Kuttner returned to the United States. Miss Kuttner, accompanied by her brother, went directly to the artist's home and remained there until the morning that the dainty little French woman who had married Earle while he was a student of art in Paris, with her baby, bade good-by to America.

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WOMAN DIES OF POISON; HUSBAND HELD AS SLAYER

Alleged Murderer Charged With Drugging Entire Dinner Party.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Feb. 5.—Summer, a hamlet in Meigs County, is confronted with a murder mystery in the death last Friday of Mrs. Fred VanMeter, who, it has been discovered, died from poison, which is alleged to have been administered by her husband.

VanMeter is in jail and Coroner Rowley, after a post-mortem examination, gave a verdict that Mrs. VanMeter died from arsenical poison, administered by her husband with intent to kill.

VanMeter, it is alleged, put the poison in a coffee pot. Several persons who dined with Mrs. VanMeter were made deathly sick, but VanMeter escaped sickness himself. It is said he afterward destroyed the coffee pot and saucer in which the poison had been mixed.

BOWLING AND HANDBALL IN NEW CITY INSANE ASYLUM TO STOP BASEBALL GAMES

Superintendent Atkins Plans to Devote Whole Floor to a Modern Gymnasium.

Bowling alleys, handball courts and all the fixtures of a modern gymnasium are planned for the new Insane Asylum by Superintendent Atkins. He hopes that these means of exercise, available to all the patients, will supplant the baseball games which now give exercise to a few for a limited season.

"I want to have a whole floor of the new building devoted to the gymnasium," said Dr. Atkins to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I would like to have bowling alleys placed in the present building, but we simply have not the room, and I cannot see any way to make it.

"The baseball games are not wholly satisfactory as a means of exercise, and require the attendance of a number of guards. I would rather confine the sports as far as possible to the building.

"On the floor above the gymnasium I want to have a large hall for entertainments. We have a lot of good talent in the asylum, so we shall not always have to invite outsiders to perform for us."

TO HAVE THAW TRANSFERRED

Littleton Overruled in Opposition to Confining Slayer in a Private Institution.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—At a consultation of attorneys for Harry K. Thaw today it was decided to apply at once to the State Lunacy Commission to have Thaw transferred from the Matteawan Asylum for the Criminal Insane to a private asylum.

Attorneys Littleton, Peabody and O'Reilly attended the conference. Littleton opposed the plan. After the conference he departed for Florida.

Attorney Peabody declared that Thaw was breaking down under the strain of being locked up with insane persons. On one side of him, the lawyer said, is a man who is continually threatening to throw something at Thaw, while on the other is a former baseball pitcher who insists on showing Thaw how he pitched the curves which made him famous.

MATTOON MAYOR TO QUIT IF TOWNSHIP DECLARES IN FAVOR OF LOCAL OPTION

Temperance Will Mean Loss of $20,000 a Year to Illinois City, He Says.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MATTOON, Ill., Feb. 5.—The argument of the liquor interests that local option will mean the financial embarrassment of many towns, whose revenue comes largely from saloons, has found a strong champion in Mayor Lewis L. Lehman, who says he will resign if this township votes for local option at the spring election.

Mayor Lehman is in no way connected with the liquor traffic. He is president of the First National Bank and of high standing.

He never has been considered a protector of saloon keepers and he says that his opposition to local option is not based on any sentimental ground.

"I do not want to see Mattoon go dry," he said Wednesday. "It is not that I think the unrestricted sale of liquor is a good thing. But I fail to see where this town's revenue is to come from if the saloons are forced out of business.

"It will mean a loss of $20,000 a year, an amount sufficient to pay the expenses of our Fire Department, electric light system and police. I will oppose local option on purely economic grounds. We can regulate the saloons here so that they will not be offensive."

AOKI TO BE PRIVY COUNCILLOR

Ex-Ambassador to U. S. Has New Post in Japan.

TOKIO, Feb. 6.—The appointment of the Viscount Sinzo Aoki, ex-Ambassador to Washington, as Privy Councillor will be officially announced tomorrow.

The position of Privy Councillor in the Japanese Government corresponds to that of the members of the Cabinet of the President of the United States.

Refugees Brought Into Port.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—The steamer Cymric, having on board the 41 men rescued from the burned steamer St. Cuthbert, is coming up the harbor.

East St. Louis News

Despite rain and sleet, chickens and poultry feed were stolen by a prowler in the eastern part of East St. Louis Tuesday night. Mrs. E. Simms of 423 North Twenty-fifth street reported to the police that her henhouse had been broken open and six chickens stolen. An hour later Mrs. Gay of 1414 East Broadway told the police that a lot of chicken feed had been stolen from her poultry yard.

The local option petitions will be filed Thursday with City Clerk Lambert. Tuesday a committee under the direction of the Rev. W. E. Archibald, the Rev. Howard Billman and the Rev. R. K. Stetson compared the names on the petitions with the registration lists and estimate that they have 575 signatures of registered voters in excess of the required 2376. The work will be completed Wednesday. The Personal Liberty League has employed men to compare the names with the registration lists in an effort to defeat the petition for insufficient names.

To accommodate visiting teachers and school officers attending the county convention, the women of the First M. E. Church will serve dinner in the basement of the church Friday and Saturday.

After deliberating 36 hours a jury in the City Court returned a verdict in favor of the East St. Louis & Suburban Railway in a suit brought by Annie Amman for $5000 damages. Miss Amman sued for injuries to her head suffered several months ago, when she fell from a car.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by the Coroner's jury on the body of Prosper J. Fournie, 58 years old, who was killed Tuesday while repairing a car for the Terminal Railroad at Valley Junction.

Internal Revenue Collector Louden reports collections of $28,111.33 by his office during January. This is almost $2000 more than was collected in January last year.

Thomas Macking, 72 years old, died Wednesday morning at his home. He is survived by his widow and two children.

The plans for the negro school to be erected at Eleventh street and Broadway have been given to the contractors, the C. L. Gray Construction Co., whose bid was $46,587. The building will be completed by Sept. 1.

The funeral of Miss Anna Duban, 20 years old, who died Tuesday night of pneumonia at her home, 900 Lynch avenue, will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. to Mount Hope Cemetery.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Calhoun of 1113 Division avenue was held Wednesday afternoon from the residence to Mount Hope Cemetery.

You will soon forget the price, but the satisfaction of having a davenport in the house will last for years. For the best on easy payments go to Rhodes-Buford Co.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

A. and E. Ehrlicher, 1404 Monroe; girl.
L. and E. Schroell, 921 N. 23d; girl.
D. and M. Naranino, 1104 N. 10th; girl.
J. and F. Westbroek, 1812 Menard; girl.
J. and B. Bendoff, 2830A Locust; girl.
A. and C. Martin, 1117 S. 3d; girl.
S. and J. Humphrey, 3111 New Ashland; girl.
L. and P. Smith, 3740 Marine; girl.
G. and M. Hamilton, 3441 Arlington; girl.
T. and C. Jewell, 718 S. 7th; girl.
F. and L. Vezis, 4357A Swan; girl.
W. and E. Proehl, 918 Talmage; girl.
Z. and D. Crow, 3718 Cottage; girl.
W. and B. Glandt, 2312 Blair; girl.
W. and M. Anderson, 912 S. 3d; girl.
C. and L. Winkel, 4342 Swan; girl.
J. and L. Kleager, 4936 St. Louis; girl.
J. and E. Adkins, 4337 N. 2d; girl.
E. and M. Daly, 4827 Labadie; girl.
J. and M. Winter, 5653 Roosevelt; girl.
N. and A. Hess, 1547 Tower Grove; girl.
S. and T. Wilbert, 2209 St. Louis; girl.
H. and M. Johnson, 3319½ Kline; girl.
J. and V. Pizzo, 810 O'Fallon; boy.
R. and J. Moll, 6211 S. Broadway; boy.
J. and E. Tierney, 3830 Cottage; boy.
C. and O. Moore, 6106 Penn; boy.
W. and M. Stegmann, 8237 Idaho; boy.
C. and —— Freemon, 3013 Easton; boy.
A. and M. Frintrup, 1947 Madison; boy.
J. and B. Barnes, 1421 Pine; boy.
H. and M. Kreamer, 2522 Fall; boy.
J. and M. Parshall, 3734 La Salle; boy.
J. and E. Bray, 5557 Labadie; boy.
W. and J. Stege, 912 Chambers; boy.
G. and C. Gaviani, 816 N. 15th; boy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

George Easthope ....901 Penrose st
Kate Prinster ....606 Holly av
Thomas J. Arnold ....1510 Walnut st
Mrs. Mary C. Lenn ....1510 Walnut st
Arthur J. Nuetzel ....Rockport, Ind
Lucy T. Winchell ....Bowler, Mont
William McGuire Jr. ....2830 Dickson st
Mary Goggin ....3136 Cass av
Arthur Widdicombe ....Maplewood, Mo
Clara E. Phillips ....Maplewood, Mo
John Wogh ....1710 S. Broadway
Eva Trei ....1710 S. Broadway
Frank A. Buss ....1849 North Market st
Sophie A. D. M. Kaufhold ..2713 Thomas st
Frederick R. Boyer ....3725 Lucky st
Sallie A. Cahill ....2500 Bellegiade av
Fred J. De Greff ....4128 Oregon av
Lillie V. Brinkman ....4946 S. Broadway
Dick Bryant ....1315 N. 9th st
Mrs. Nellie Delaney ....1817 Franklin av
Albert C. Meyer ....Berger, Mo
Emma Kreutzer ....Gasconade, Mo
Oscar H. Rudolf ....4536 San Francisco av
Daisy L. Brendell ....4536 San Francisco av
John Phillips ....1240 S. 3d st
Katie Harbata ....1240 S. 3d st
David Atterberry ....1011 N. 18th st
Nellie Turner ....1802 Wash st
George C. Mohrmann ....1324 High st
Julia L. Buchholz ....1321 N. 19th st
John E. Fitzgerald ....Jerseyville, Ill
Bridget Durney ....Jerseyville, Ill
Fred H. Von ....5735 Delmar bl
Annette Bucker ....Hermann, Mo
Giles M. Fritch ....4482 Maryland av
Venda A. Rinkel ....4526 Page bl
Alonzo P. Taylor ....Wrights, Ill
Anna E. Newton ....Mt. Vernon, Ill
Sam Chouris ....1308 Olive st
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BURIAL PERMITS.

Catherine Ryan, 75, St. John's Hospital; apoplexy.
George W. Miller, 80, no home; heart disease.
John Asher, 62, Mineral Point, Mo.; carcinoma.
Peter L. Martineau, 71, 3751 Cote Brilliante; nephritis.
Mary L. Schumacher, 38, 4047 Garfield; carcinoma.
Thomas McGlynn, 66, 3603 Gravois; myocarditis.
Lavinia A. Fuller, 81, 520 West End; pneumonia.
Rudolph Tommen, 95, 5800 Arsenal; senility.
Michael Quinn, 61, 5826 Maple; cancer.
Kate Rogers, 5850 Arsenal; senility.
F. H. Bergin, 42, 3692 West Pine; heart disease.
William John, 65, 1109 High; enteritis.
Nelson Staats, 73, 1915 N. Vandeventer; heart disease.
Meta Knech, 77, 1914 Menard; nephritis.
Cath. Bechtler, 61, 1529½ N. Jefferson; edema.
George F. Heinemann, 61, 3542 Bell; pericarditis.
Nicholas Wack, 46, 2134 S. Maryland; accident.
James Parrott, 37, 120 Center; phthisis.
Ruth Alexander, 28, 2023 Chestnut; accident.
Cath. Connelly, 65, 1520 Papin; grip.
Lucille Blansey, 28, 3029 Dickson; accident.
Estelle Foley, 35, Lutheran Hospital; cancer.
William Lemkenheimer, 78, 3608 Page; asthma.
Michael Fahey, 43, 4553 Papin; uremia.
Cath. E. Desmond, 28, 4536A Garfield; phthisis.
Johanna C. Kleyboecker, 52, 4119 Chouteau; pneumonia.
Marie Miller, 71, 319 S. Compton; sclerosis.
Mary E. Dickson, 87, 3628 Delmar; pneumonia.
Christian Kothe, 83, 1610 Ohio; apoplexy.
Henrietta Meier, 49, 2728 Hickory; influenza.
M. C. Tutton, 50, 1609 Olive; pneumonia.

STUDENT IS DENIED DIVORCE

Oliver J. Miller, Senior at Medical College, Sues at Cape Girardeau.

Oliver J. Miller, a senior at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, was refused a divorce from his wife, Julia, by Judge Davis in the Common Pleas Court of Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Miller's suit was based on the contention that his wife forced him to marry her at the point of a revolver and that after marriage she adopted the same vigorous tactics in handling him—one of them being a rap over the head with a book while he was threading the sewing machine for her.

THE POST-DISPATCH'S DAILY RECORD OF MARKETS AND FINANCE

N. Y. STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR AT OPENING

Dullness Still Continues in Market, and Small Changes Are Made in Prices.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5, 10 a. m.—The dullness that characterized yesterday's market was again in evidence this morning. Quotations were very slightly altered from Tuesday's closing, ½ point being about the largest divergence.

In the industrial division Smelting and Amalgamated were a small fraction lower, and the steels were practically at parity. Steel preferred sold exdividend of 1¾ per cent.

In the rails division Brooklyn Rapid Transit and the Harriman Pacifics were slightly off their close, while Pennsylvania was at parity. All the other rail issues were from ⅛ to ½ higher, the latter figure representing the advance of St. Paul.

Several of the more prominent rail issues made gains in the early trading. Among them were Northern Pacific ⅛, Reading ½, Union Pacific ½ and Rock Island preferred ¼. London was steady and somewhat above parity.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5, 12:30 p. m.—Shortly after the opening of the market a general downward movement started all along the line. The decline was led by American Smelting, which had suffered a loss of 2 points at noon. Other prominent industrials were from ¼ to ¾ below their opening.

Losses of 1 point each were made in several of the leading rail issues, among them being B. & O., Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Reading and Union Pacific.

Delaware & Hudson and Atchison were each lower by ½ a point. New York Central, on restricted trading, was almost 1 point off its opening by noon. Other rail stocks sagged about an average of ½ a point.

New York Stock Quotations.

(Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 N. Fourth st.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 5.

STOCKS.	High.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	51⅛	50⅛
Am. C. & F. Co. com	29⅞	28⅞
Am. Loco com.	37¼	36½
Am. Sm. pfd.	91¼	90½
Am. Sugar	112⅜	112
Anaconda Copper	32⅝	32⅜
Atchison com.	72	71¼
B. R. T.	46⅛	44⅞
B. & O.	84⅛	83⅛
Cen. L. com.	112⅛	110⅞
Colo. F. & I.	18⅜	18½
Colo. Sou. com.	24⅝	24½
Delaware & Hudson	151⅛	149½
D & R. G. com.	20⅜	19⅞
Erie com.	15	15
Great Northern pfd	121	119¼
Great Northern Ore	52⅜	52⅜
Illinois Central	127⅛	127⅛
Manhattan	129⅛	129
M. K. & T. common	22⅜	22⅜
Missouri Pacific	42⅜	42
Nat. Lead common	38½	37⅞
Northern Pacific	125⅜	123¼
New York Central	97⅛	96¼
People's Gas	86	85⅝
Reading com.	102⅜	100¼
Rock Island com.	12	12
do preferred	25⅞	24½
Ry. S. S. com.	25	24⅛
Southern Pacific	73¼	71⅞
Texas Pacific	19	19
Toledo com.	14¼	14¼
Twin City	83½	83½
U. P. com.	121⅛	118⅞
U. S. Steel com.	28⅛	27⅞
*do preferred	92⅛	90⅞
W. U.	55	55

Sales to 1 p. m., 267,900 shares.
*Ex. div. 1¾ per cent.

WIFE DRINKS BEER, SLEEPS FIVE DAYS, SENDS FOR HELP

Judge Holds That When Woman Was Rescued Husband's Peace Was Not Disturbed.

Judge Tracy held Wednesday in the City Hall Police Court that Edward Rooney's peace was not disturbed when his sister-in-law, Mrs. Edward Roehr, accompanied by one of her boarders, Edward R. Carr, came to his home and took away his wife in a carriage. Mrs. Roehr threatened Rooney and his brother, Ambrose, with a hat pin, according to the testimony.

Rooney is being sued by his wife for divorce, and was fined $25 by Judge Tracy last month for striking her. She went to his house at 1314 Graham street, she testified, on Jan. 6 on his invitation to come after the furniture.

She drank a glass of beer there, she said, and became unconscious for five days. During this time Ambrose Rooney, who is a married man, acted as her nurse, he admitted. When she recovered her senses, she said, she sent her little daughter, Lucille, to ask Mrs. Roehr to rescue her.

LEMP DISMISSES SUIT ON GETTING TO SEE HIS SON

Once Each Week He Will Have the Boy as His Guest.

By the terms of an agreement between William J. Lemp Jr. and his wife, from whom he is separated, Mr. Lemp will be permitted to see his son, William J. Lemp III, on the morning and afternoon of one day each week. The boy will be taken to Mr. Lemp's office by a maid, and will remain with his father until noon. He will then be taken to his mother's home for luncheon, and later returned to the office, where he will spend the remainder of the day with his father. After agreeing to this arrangement Mr. Lemp withdrew the habeas corpus suit against his wife to obtain custody of the boy. The suit was scheduled for trial in the Court of Appeals Tuesday.

Howe Invites Labor Delegates.

James Eads How, head of the committees acting for the unemployed in St. Louis, has telegraphed to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, requesting him to send a delegate to the mass meetings of unemployed being held in St. Louis. Mr. How, in his telegram, states that committees of the unemployed from many cities are holding a convention here.

Police May Visit Island.

Chief of Police Maxwell of Alton has been given authority by H. E. Hayward, owner of Maple Island, to visit the island and catch any thief who may attempt to find refuge there. The island is not included in the territory of either Illinois or Missouri, and in the past several thieves have bidden themselves on it.

TRACTION ISSUES SLIGHTLY LOWER ON EXCHANGE

Prices Realized at First Session Indicate Easing Off in Values.

Prices received for securities at the first session of the St. Louis Stock Exchange Wednesday indicated a slight easing off in values. Railways preferred sold at a uniform price of 62½, while the 4s were ¼ under the prevailing quotations of Tuesday. Central Coal and Coke common was firm at 65. All other issues were inactive.

First Session.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Rys., pfd.	62½	62¾
do 4s.	79½	79¾
do Com. V. T.	22½	23½
Laclede Gas 5s.	101¼	
Mo. Edison 5s		97¼
Granite-Bimetallic		24
K. C. Home Tel. 5s, $1000		85

SALES.
10 United Railways preferred at 62½.
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5 Central Coal & Coke common at 65.
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25 United Railways preferred at 62½.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 79½.
5 United Railways preferred at 62½.

Second Session.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways pfd.	62½	62⅝
do 4s	79½	79⅝
do Com. V. T.	23⅛	24
National Candy com.	99	101
Mo. Edison 5s	97	97¼
do 5s ($500)		99¼
Consolidated Coal	15	
Cent. Coal & Coke com.	64¾	65
City 4s, 1912	100½	
Union Depot 6s		110¼
Tri-City 5s		92¼

SALES.
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10 Central Coal & Coke Co. at 65.
$500 Mo. Edison 5s at 99.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 79½.
5 United Railways pfd. at 62½.

FINANCIAL ITEMS

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Treasury show:

	This day.	This month.	Fiscal year.
Receipts	$4,609,551	$6,122,257	$372,970,100
Expend'res.	2,500,000	4,450,000	390,183,591
Surplus	$2,109,551	$1,472,257	*$17,213,422

*Deficit.

The receipts from customs today were $690,785, from internal revenue $1,224,374, and miscellaneous $2,694,392. National bank notes received for redemption $1,471,919.

The cash statement of the United States Treasury for Feb. 3 shows:

Reserve fund—	
Gold coin and bullion	$150,000,000
Trust fund—	
To redeem out'ding certificates	$1,282,491,869
General fund—	
Gold coin and bullion	$25,243,262
Gold certificates	42,186,400
Silver dollars	9,600,967
Silver certificates	11,037,262
Silver bullion	4,267,888
United States notes	7,602,511
National bank notes	31,158,959
Subsidiary silver and minor coin	13,065,000
Total	$144,160,169
In national banks	240,908,060
Awaiting disbursement	60,158
Total	$385,128,387
Liabilities	117,977,430
Cash balance	$267,150,957

German Bank Statement.

Cash holdings of the Imperial Bank of Germany showed a decrease of $5,150,000 for the week ended yesterday, but this to a great extent was offset by a heavy decrease in circulation and loans. Following are the changes for the week:

		Marks.
Gold and silver coin and bull.	Dec.	20,600,000
Notes in circulation	Dec.	77,540,000
Treasury notes held	Dec.	3,073,000
Other securities	Dec.	24,044,000

The German bank's important returns compare with those of one and two years ago as follows:

	1908.	1907.	1906.
	Marks.	Marks.	Marks.
G.&S.	885,960,000	845,390,000	954,240,000
Circ'n	1,356,480,000	1,411,820,000	1,324,220,000

The German bank's cash holdings in 1905 were 1,068,740,000 marks; in 1904, 912,700,000; in 1903, 891,580,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Deputy Sheriff Cruise yesterday received an attachment for $200,000 against the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Co. of Michigan in favor of Earnest Thalman, George L. Rives and Henry C. Ide, as receivers of the Knickerbocker Trust Co. for money loaned on May 29, 1907, to be repaid six months after that date, which was not repaid. The attachment was granted on the ground that it is a foreign corporation and was served on H. B. Hollins & Co., bankers, No. 11 Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—In an effort to comply at least with the letter of President Roosevelt's recommendation to cease margin trading, a prominent commission house man yesterday posted a notice on his customers' bulletin board that hereafter his house would not execute orders on "margin." He added, however, that orders to buy or sell "on credit," accompanied with check or cash for 10 per cent of the amount involved, and reliable security for the remainder, would be accepted and executed in proper manner.

It appears to be the consensus of opinion among students of the market and its technical position that there is nothing in the situation at the moment, except the squeezing of the shorts, to bring about higher prices for any but issues of a purely investment character. These authorities, however, believe that bonds, especially those of a gilt-edged description, will advance steadily on continued purchasing by investors.

RAILROAD NEWS AND GOSSIP

RAILROAD EARNINGS.
Monthly Statements.

MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL & SAULT STE. MARIE.

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Dec. gross	$1,081,117	$920,498	$914,689
Expenses	569,248	570,168	470,099
Dec. net	511,869	$350,330	$444,590
6 mos gross	$6,773,878	$6,800,536	$6,132,667
Expenses	3,945,623	3,425,633	2,680,918
6 mos net	$2,828,255	$3,374,903	$3,451,749

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURG.

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Dec. gross	$611,596	$634,516	$673,205
Expenses	439,174	426,012	373,552
Dec. net	$172,422	$208,504	$299,652
6 mos gross	$5,014,665	$4,253,096	$4,615,200
Expenses	3,080,475	2,584,537	2,453,241
6 mos net	$1,934,190	$1,668,559	$2,161,968

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Dec. gross	$4,192,348	$4,886,017	$4,602,596
Exp. and tax	3,427,426	3,657,054	3,181,293
Dec. net	$764,922	$1,228,963	$1,421,303
6 mos gross	$29,349,802	$28,316,306	$26,604,444
Exp and tax	23,116,812	21,211,743	18,587,763
6 mos net	$6,232,990	$7,104,563	$8,016,681

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS.

	1907.	1906.	1905.
Dec gross	$847,716	$975,025	$893,981
Expenses	681,276	762,073	658,954
Dec. net	$166,440	$212,952	$237,027
Chgs and tax	133,292	149,492	149,590
Dec. surp.	$13,148	$63,460	$87,437
6 mos gross	$5,777,369	$5,688,911	$5,262,955
Expenses	4,531,979	4,483,401	4,013,614
6 mos net	$1,245,390	$1,205,510	$1,249,341
Chgs and tax	922,084	896,925	897,917
6 mos surp	$323,306	$308,585	$351,424

LATEST LIVESTOCK NEWS.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Feb. 5.—Estimated receipts today compare with a week and a year ago as follows:

	Today.	Week ago.	Year ago.
Cattle	3,000	3,600	3,500
Hogs	7,500	10,700	9,200
Sheep	1,000	1,200	2,200
Horses and mules	900	800	700

NATIVE CATTLE—All except about 100 head of the day's receipts were native cattle, and there was a fairly large proportion of beef steers available, as well as a good supply of butcher stock.

A number of trains were late in arriving, but trading was active after the supply got in, and cows, heifers and steers sold strong to 10c higher, with the exception of canning grades, which sold only steady.

Best steers sold up to $5.75, with other sales ranging from $4.50 to $5.50, and bulk of the fair kinds bringing from $4.85 to $5.40. Good heifers brought $5, steers and heifers $5.15, and cows $4.25.

The veal calf market was active and prices paid were strong, the tops today selling at $7.75.

There was a good demand for the moderate number of stockers and feeders on offer, and they sold readily at strong values, a load of lightweight stockers bringing $4.

The few bulls received brought firm values.

BEEF AND BUTCHER STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	1180	$5 75	22	1225	$5 50
18	1290	5 45	29	1278	5 45
39Kan	1164	5 40	7	1207	5 35
81Kan	1102	5 25	19	1238	5 25
15	1242	5 20	20	1137	5 00
10Kan	859	4 90	12	1053	4 85
20	981	4 50	4	875	4 50
1	1120	4 50	2Kan	730	4 35

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
5K&h	878	5 15	6K&h	831	5 00
4	735	5 00	10Kan	801	4 75
47Kan	781	4 50	2	615	4 50
1	980	4 40	7	802	4 40
1	810	4 25	1	860	4 25
1	870	4 25	27	774	4 15
36	666	4 05	1	630	4 00
6	604	4 00	1	570	4 00
1	470	3 85	2	725	3 85
7	774	3 85	2	645	3 80
3	586	3 75	8	668	3 70
1	770	3 60	1	640	3 40
3	586	3 35	3	703	3 25

COWS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	1100	4 25	1	1290	4 25
8Kan	1046	4 00	2	965	4 00
2	895	3 85	3	1018	3 75
4	862	3 75	12	1005	3 75
1	1190	3 75	4	950	3 50
1	967	3 50	2	875	3 50
5	936	3 50	1	970	3 40
2	860	3 25	1	1070	3 25
1	800	3 00	1	800	2 50
1	850	2 50	5	592	2 50
1	880	2 50	2	905	2 40
1	790	2 25	1	800	2 10
2	890	2 00	1	690	2 00

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
3	1040	3 65	1	920	3 00
1	1684	2 60			

CALVES AND YEARLINGS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
13	120	7 75	1	140	7 50
2	195	7 50	1	120	7 50
1	150	7 00	2	90	6 50
2	155	5 00	1	230	4 50
3	196	4 50	1	340	4 25
123	222	4 00	7	272	3 40
60	361	3 25	1	230	2 75

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
27	458	4 00	3	783	4 00
3	500	3 60	21	736	3 35
4	425	3 25			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
31	493	2 85	18 cows	688	2 50

MILKERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	@	47 50	1	@	32 00

SOUTHERN CATTLE—The quarantine supply was very light this morning, consisting of a couple of loads of Louisiana oxen that sold at $3.55, and a couple of loads of Texas steers, the same as sold on yesterday's market, that sold at $4.30, the same as yesterday.

TEXAS CATTLE.
STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
23		4 30			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
54	1290	3 85	36	1341	3 85
18	1208	3 85			

LOUISIANA CATTLE.
OXEN.

No.	Av.	Price.
40	1040	3 55

HOGS—A good moderate supply of hogs arrived, but there was not as many on sale as either of the two previous days. The hogs continue good, there being a whole lot of good heavy hogs on sale, but still also a good many pigs and lights. A good demand prevailed and the market was 5@10c higher. It was a good, active trade and the supply cleaned up early in the day.

While the shippers and butchers were good buyers the main support of the market came from the packers and they bought a good many hogs around the top of the market. Good heavy hogs are selling at the top. The top was $4.60 and a good many hogs sold at $4.55 and higher. The bulk of the hogs sold at $4.47½@4.50. Pigs and lights, if good, were close to 10c higher, but the poorer grades showed no improvement whatever.

MIXED PACKERS AND HEAVY.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
71	257	$4 60	77	220	$4 57½
73	242	4 57½	74	256	4 57½
74	237	4 55	76	257	4 55
87	288	4 55	74	262	4 55
73	251	4 52½	68	251	4 52½
77	226	4 52½	68	239	4 52½
79	234	4 50	68	270	4 50
53	335	4 50	70	241	4 50
69	256	4 47½	81	243	4 45

BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
82	195	4 55	23	186	4 55
73	218	4 52½	82	215	4 52½
78	217	4 52½	74	200	4 52½
80	218	4 52½	70	200	4 52½
81	190	4 50	75	198	4 50
129	200	4 50	86	187	4 50
78	199	4 47½	90	180	4 47½
91	175	4 47½	71	211	4 47½
32	213	4 45	43	182	4 45
101	161	4 45	63	196	4 45
49	198	4 42½	66	178	4 42½
43	162	4 40	63	176	4 40

LIGHTWEIGHT SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
103	140	4 42½	89	174	4 42½
36	139	4 40	21	143	4 40
74	156	4 35	33	116	4 35
22	120	4 30	15	114	4 30
73	112	4 30	39	127	4 30
12	119	4 25	21	134	4 25
11	112	4 20	10	111	4 20

PIGS AND THROW-OUTS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
3	433	4 25	29	98	4 10
2	510	4 00	1	360	4 00
12	90	4 00	1	460	4 00
12	90	4 00	1	460	4 00
11	88	3 90	2	440	3 90
12	90	3 75	1	390	3 75

SHEEP—The supply of sheep consisted of several loads of Western and while a portion of them were fed in Missouri, there were also several loads on sale that came direct from Colorado. The market was about the same as yesterday, which was 10@15c lower than the day before. Lambs sold at $6.75 @6.90, yearlings at $5.60@5.75 and Western wethers at $5.25.

LAMBS AND YEARLINGS.

No.		Av.	Price.
564	Colorado lambs	69	$6 90

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.		Av.	Price.
448	Western wethers	92	5 25

HORSES—The horse trade was animated today. A liberal supply of auction offerings was negotiated readily to the large force of buyers, although the tone of values did not denote any change from yesterday. Southern horses show a firm tone, which is also true about good harness horses, but on weighty chunky and draft horses a reaction is manifest in values.

MULES—Dealers were active buyers in the alleys today. While all qualities, full-aged, offerings are on a steady basis, outside demand is stronger for the medium and smaller sized kinds and consequently dealers are partial to these classes in making additions to their stocks.

TICKER TALK

Call money on the New York Stock Exchange opened at 2 per cent Wednesday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Smelters Securities Co. has declared the regular dividend of 1¼ on preferred and 1¼ per cent on preferred B.

ST. LOUIS MONEY MARKET.

The inclement weather of the past few days has been reflected in the dealings among the St. Louis banking institutions. The money market is very quiet, but there is a somewhat easier tone generally apparent. Some of the institutions are again fairly well loaned up, and for this reason they are not pressing offerings of funds as eagerly as was the case about a week ago. At the same time, there is active buying of mercantile bills by the country, and this, of course, is a great factor.

IN THE LOAN CROWD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—In the loan quarter of the market, fairly good demand for Pennsylvania and Steel preferred. The floating supply of Steel preferred is very small and difficult to borrow.

LOCAL CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Today	$10,041,849	$ 986,657
Last week	10,404,598	1,132,196
Decrease	$ 362,744	$ 145,539

New York City Bonds.

The following quotations on New York City bonds are revised daily by Eyer & Co., 37 Wall street, all prices being with interest:

Rate	Int. Pay.	Maturity.	Bid.	Offer	Y'ld.
*4½	May and Nov.	May, 1957	106⅝	107	4.13
*4½	May and Nov.	May, 1917	104	104¾	3.95
*4	May and Nov.	May, 1957	97	98¼	4.04
†4	May and Nov.	Nov., 1955	96¾	98¼	4.04
‡4	May and Nov.	Nov., 1956	96¾	98¼	4.04
†3½	May and Nov.	Nov., 1956	87	88¼	4.05
*3½	May and Nov.	Nov., 1954	87	88¼	4.05
†3½	May and Nov.	May, 1954	87	88¼	4.05
‡3½	May and Nov.	Reg., 1954	86¼	88¼	4.07

*Interchangeable. †Coupon. ‡Registered.

PRODUCE MARKETS

Prices quoted are wholesale, obtained from Third street commission houses.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 33c; firsts, 30 @31c; seconds, 26@27c; country, in pails, 18½c; ladle-packed, 20c.

EGGS—Receipts 341 local cases and 764 through cases. Shipments 1460 cases; extras, cases included, 24½c; strictly fresh firsts, cases included, 23c; current receipts, case count, cases returned, 21c.

POULTRY—Live chickens, fowls, 10c; old roosters, 5c; turkeys, choice, 12c; culls and thin less; staggy young roosters, 7½c; ducks, 10c; guinea chickens, $2.25 dozen; spring chickens on an average, 11½c; broilers, 2 pounds and less, 14c; geese, full feathered, 6½c; capons, 7 lbs and over, 13c; slips, 10c. Live pigeons, dozen, 90c. Dressed and iced with feet on: Chickens, fowls, 10½c; old roosters, 5½c; geese, fair to fancy, 7@9c; turkeys, choice scalded, 13c; ducks, 10½c; spring chickens, 12c; capons, 7 pounds or better, 15½c.

GAME—Ducks, undrawn, mallards, $5 dozen; green-wing teal, $3; blue-wing teal, $3.50; drawn mallard, teal, 50c dozen less; canvasback duck, $7; redheads, $4.00; rabbits, choice, fresh killed, $1.35@1.40; stale, held and culls, much less; opossum 10c to 40c each; squabs, homers, 9 pounds to dozen, $2.75; 8 pounds, $2.25; less than 8 pounds, $1.80; common, 8 pounds, $2; 7 pounds, $1.50; less than 7 pounds, 50c@$1.25; wild turkeys, 16c per pound; jack snipe, $2.

FRESH FISH—Crappie, 3c for small to 9c for large; black bass, 12c on orders and 10c for large; dressed cat, 10½c; German carp, dressed, 4c for large and 3c for small. Dressed bullheads, collar bones off, 8c; buffalo, large, gross, 3½c; large dressed, 6c; medium dressed, 4c; sunfish 2c; white perch, 3½c; striped bass, 8c for large and 3c for small.

CHEESE—On orders per pound: Northern twins at 12½c; daisies at 14c; Young America, 13½c; long horns, 14c; prints, 14½c, limburger, 16½@17c; Swiss, No. 1, 18c, and No. 2, 14@15c; brick, choice, 13@13½c.

VEALS—Choice small fat, 6½c per lb. heretics, thin, rough and scalawags, 3@4c.

ROASTING PIGS—$1@1.50 per head.

Vegetables.

POTATOES—Market strong, with receipts light and market rather quiet; choice sound Northern white varieties in sacks, 68@70c; Wisconsin rural, 70@72c.

ONIONS—Fancy sacked red globe, 80@85c per bu delivered; small, 65@70c.

SAUERKRAUT—New city made, at $1.75 per half barrel, $3.25 per barrel and $5.25 per 45-gallon cask; kegs, 75c.

STRING BEANS—Choice Florida, hampers and bu boxes, round green, $3.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown queen, yellow and red Nansemond, $1@1.15 per bu.

SPINACH—Home-grown, 35c per bu loose.

BEETS—Home-grown, 30@35c per bu loose; New Orleans, 20@30c per doz. bunches.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $3 per barrel loose.

RUTABAGAS—In bulk, 42c per bu delivered.

CELERY—Celery roots 25@50c per doz.; California golden heart, $3.25@3.50 per crate.

CAULIFLOWER — California, $1.85 large crate, delivered.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—12½@15c per quart.

CUCUMBERS—Eastern hothouse, $1@1.25 per dozen.

PEPPERS—Florida choice to fancy large, $1.25@1.50 per hamper.

TURNIPS—Home-grown, unwashed globe, 25c per bu loose, and washed, 40c.

LETTUCE—New Orleans, choice to fancy, $3.50@4.50 per sugar barrel; lower coast, small barrels $3@4; Florida, $1.25@1.50 per hamper for express receipts.

CABBAGE—1c pound for Holland seed in shipping order; New York Danish $12@13 per ton; Northern red cabbage, $20 per ton delivered.

EGGPLANT—Fancy Florida $2.50 per ½-bu crate.

CARROTS—Home-grown, 35@40c per bu box; New Orleans, 20@25c per doz. bunches.

SPANISH ONIONS—$1.15 per crate delivered.

PARSLEY—New Orleans curly, 25@30c per dozen bunches; Florida $1.75 per hamper.

RADISHES—New Orleans, white tipped, fancy, 25@30c per dozen bunches.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans, 20@25c per dozen bunches.

ENDIVES—New Orleans, $3 per sugar barrel.

TOMATOES—Florida express receipts, $2.50 per 6-basket crate for choice and $3.50 for fancy.

GREEN PEAS—Choice fresh Florida, $2 @2.50 per hamper.

KOHLRABI—New Orleans, 35c per dozen bunches for large; small 20c.

Fruits.

APPLES—The market continues dull; there being few sales and most of the arrivals going into cold storage. Offerings very large and general demand limited. Northern and Eastern packed, $2@2.25 for No. 2, $2.90@3.25 for No. 1 mixed varieties, $3.75@4 for fancy greenings and $3.50@3.75 for fancy spy; No. 1 Baldwin, $2.90@3; fancy Kings, $4@4.25, and extra fancy York Imperial, $4.50.

ORANGES—Florida, $1.50@2.50 per box; California navels, $1.80@2.35 per box.

LEMONS—$2.50@3 per box for sound Messina; California, $2.10@2.60.

BANANAS—2½c per pound on orders.

PINEAPPLES—Cuban, $1.75 per crate (42c).

CRANBERRIES—Scarce and firm at $7@8 per barrel for choice.

COCOANUTS—Large, $73.50 for sack of 100.

STRAWBERRIES—Fancy Florida, in refrigerator carrier, 25c per quart.

Provisions.

LARD—Choice steam, nominal, 7.45c on East Side; pure kettle rendered, 8c.

PORK—New standard mess, $12.25.

BACON—Box meats, jobbing: California and New York shoulders, 8c; breakfast bacon, 13c for heavy to 15½c for choice light; hams, 9¾@10½c. In plain smoked boxes; extra shorts, 8⅜c; short clear, 8½c; bellies, 9½@10½c; fat backs, 7¼c.

GREEN HAMS—From block delivered according to average; hams, 7@7½c; bellies, 6@8¼c; New York and California shoulders, 5¾@6¼c.

GREASE—Brown, 3¼c; yellow, 4c; white, 4½c; packers' brown, 4¼@4½c; choice white, 5¾@5¾c; yellow, 5@5½c.

OLEOSTEARINE—Nominal, 7½@7¾c.

TALLOW—Country, average run, 5c; packers' prime, 5¼@5⅜c; No. 2, 4½@4¾c.

COUNTRY LARD—Well made and in good packers, 7c.

COUNTRY BACON—Good average side, 8¼@9c.

Seeds, Nuts, Etc.

GRASS SEEDS — Timothy, dark, mixed, hulled, etc., $3.50@4; per 100 pounds; fair to good, $4.10@4.25; prime, $4.40; clover, $5@9 up to $12.50@16, according to quality; alfalfa, $14.50@14.75; sunflower seed nominal, $2.15 per 100 pounds.

BEANS AND PEAS—White beans, choice, hand picked, $2.30@2.35; split peas, $2.10; new Scotch peas, $2.35@2.40; lima beans, 5¾ @6c per pound; new lentils, 7@8c; red kidney beans, 4 2-5c to 4½c; country white beans, $1.25@2.10.

BLACK WALNUTS—35c per bu.

PECANS—5¼@6c, according to size.

HICKORY NUTS—New shellbark; $1.25 per bu and large 50c.

HAZEL NUTS—5c per pound.

CHESTNUTS—Italian, 5½c per pound.

PEANUTS—3@3½c for red and 4@4½c for white ;farmers' stock.

POPCORN—Mixed on cob, $1.50 per 100 pounds.

MAPLE SYRUP—Sugar at 10c per pound and syrup 70c per gallon.

HOPS—New, per pound: New York, 17@19c; Western, 11@12c; foreign, 33@36c.

Miscellaneous.

HIDES—Dry stock, heavy flint, 11½c, light and fallen, 10½c; culls, 5½c; glue stock, 3¼c; dry salted, 3½c. Green salted, Western, 5¼c; Southern, 5¾c; bull, 4½c. Uncured, 1c per pound less and part cured ½c per pound less.

FEATHERS—Prime white live goose in small sacks, 54c, and large sacks, 52c; prime gray do, 37c in small and 35c in large sacks; old white, 38@42c; tare, 10 per cent on small sacks and 3 per cent on large; duck, white, 39c, and dark, 30c; turkeys, prime dry-picked, body, 5c; prime dry-picked, body, 4c.

GOATSKINS—10@30c each.

SHEEP PELTS—Full wool, skins; Lamb, 25@50c; shearlings, 5@20c; dry stock, 10c.

LEAD—Nominally at $3.60@3.75 for Missouri.

SPELTERS—Nominally $4.55.

WOOL—Southern and Southwestern loose and short to choice, 12 months, 18@21c; hard to slightly burry, 10@15c; fine, 13@18c. Local bright hard to slightly burry, 11@18c; low and coarse to choice medium, 21@23c; coarse to medium lamb, 15c to 18c; heavy to light fine, 17c to 21½c; Western and Northwestern, dark to bright medium, 21@23c; heavy fine to fine medium, 10@22c; burry, fine, 12@15c; buck, 10@11c. Tubwashed: No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 28@25c; burry, 18@22c; Angora goat, coarse and short to choice long, 17@25c; burry, 11@15c.

SCRAP IRON AND METALS—(Per 100 pounds): Heavy cast, 50c; wrought, 40c; malleable steel, breakage and stove, 35c; light brass, $6; heavy brass and light copper, $9.50; zinc, $3; lead, $3.50; pewter, $17; tinfoil, 19c.

BONES—Bleached, $17 per ton in car lots on track this side, smaller lots, $10@13.

ROOTS—Ginseng, $4.75@5.25 per pound; golden seal, $1.45@1.50; seneca, 40c; May apple, 4c; snake, 30@32c; angelica, 5c; lady slipper, 20c; pink, 43@44c; wahoo—bark of root, 15@20c, and bark of tree, 5c; sassafras—bark of root, 6c; wild ginger, 10c; skullcap leaves, 12@14c.

BEESWAX—Prime, 26c per pound; all inferior less.

LINSEED OIL—Five barrels and less, 41c for raw and 42c for boiled.

CASTOR OIL—In lots of 200 gallons or over, 12c per pound for No. 1 and 11½c for No. 3 in barrels; smaller quantities, 1c per pound more.

COTTON SEED OIL—Winter white, 48c; yellow, 47c; summer white, 42c; yellow, 41c; cooking oil, white, 44c; yellow, 42c; salad, 48c.

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MAY WHEAT ENDED UNCHANGED FOR DAY

Closed Nervous, Active, After Receding From Early Full Cent Gain.

DEFERRED OPTION WEARER

Corn Sluggish and Easier, Oats Inactive—Cash Markets Rule Firm.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS IN BRIEF

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat opened strong today on higher prices at Liverpool and Budapest, and under extensive short covering. Market continued strong until late in the day, when prices broke more than 1 cent on realizing sales. Closed easy, with May a shade lower at 97¼c.

The firm cables, unsettled weather throughout the belt, and small local receipts, rendered the corn market strong early. Prices declined with wheat late in the day, however, and May closed steady, unchanged at 61c.

There was quite an active trade in oats and prices ruled strong.

The local wheat market was a quite lively affair during most of Wednesday's session, and was very unsettled, prices fluctuating in a rather irregular and erratic manner. The close was unchanged to ⅝c lower for the day. Corn closed ⅛@¼c lower and oats were inactive.

Shorts hurried to cover in excited manner at the start, and their buying, in conjunction with a good demand from longs and for investment purposes, caused a full cent opening advance in May. The buying was based on the very strong foreign markets, especially at Budapest, which advanced 5¼c, the sensational upturn indicating unfavorable weather and crop prospects in Southern Europe. Liverpool, helped by an export demand from Russia for La Plata wheat in Liverpool, closed 1¼d to 1½d higher, and Berlin closed ¼c higher. The cash demand at Minneapolis was very slow, levels being reduced ¼c all around, as the heavy receipts were too much for the slack inquiry. The warm weather with rains over a large part of the belt is considered unfavorable, however, as it will remove the snow covering and leave the crop open for damage from the cold wave which is expected about Friday. More confidence was displayed by the bulls than recently, and the early market had a healthy, active tone.

After the initial spurt the market quieted down somewhat and prices during most of the forenoon moved slowly and narrowly at near the high point. When the shorts were all in, however, it was found that their buying had been the chief sustaining feature in the forenoon and the new buying necessary to hold prices up being lacking the market simply caved in. The export demand was slow, this encouraging the increasing selling movement, as did the sluggish action of corn.

May wheat opened ⅛@1c higher at 98⅜c, fluctuated between 98¼c and 98⅝c, declined to 98¼c, advanced to 98¼c, declined to 98c, advanced to 98¼@98⅜c and broke sharply to 97¼c. July wheat opened ½c higher at 91⅞c, was bid for at 91⅝c, declined to 91⅛@91⅝c, sold at 91¼c, and sagged to 91⅜c. Sept. wheat was early offered at 91⅛c.

Cash sales at Chicago Tuesday were 75,000 bu wheat, 75,000 bu corn and 225,000 bu oats. Export sales in all positions were wheat 216,000 bu and corn 68,000 bu.

Minneapolis stocks decreased 125,000 bu for four days. Minneapolis cars were 183, against 98 last year, and Duluth 55, against 17 last year.

The late trading was fairly active and the tone easy. Prices moved up a slight fraction from the low point, and again sagged, but the close was nervous and active at somewhat above the bottom of the range.

May wheat advanced to 97⅞c, declined to 97¼c and closed at 97⅜@97½c bid. July wheat declined to 90⅛c, and closed at 90⅝c bid.

There was a good cash demand for wheat in the local market, and prices ruled firm.

Primary receipts of wheat were 474,000 bu, with shipments of 333,000 bu, and local receipts were 41,000 bu, with shipments of 70,-110 bu.

Seaboard clearances of wheat and flour for the day were 196,000 bu.

The corn market was rather quiet and narrow, most of the fluctuations being governed by the price movements of corn in Chicago. Cables closed ⅛d higher, and the weather for corn is exceedingly unfavorable, these features combining with the initial upturn in wheat to cause a ⅜@½c bulge at the start. There was fair buying throughout the session, but quite a quantity of corn was on sale late, and prices weakened. The close was dull, easy and ⅛@¼c down for the day.

Cash corn was in active demand and prices were again firm.

Primary receipts of corn were 657,000 bu with shipments of 508,000 bu and local receipts were 91,300 bu, with shipments of 66,280 bu.

Clearances of corn from the seaboard today were 505,000 bu.

There was no market on oats futures and practically no tentative bids or offers. May started with offerings ¼c higher at 50½c and was later offered at 50¼c. July oats had bids ¼c higher at 44¼c.

Cash oats were in good demand and steady.

Primary receipts of oats were 467,000 bu, with shipments of 472,000 bu, and local receipts were 90,200 bu, with shipments of 85,-760 bu.

Oats clearances were 5000 bu.

FLOUR—Receipts were 10,150 bbls; shipments 13,550 bbls. Quote soft winter flour patents, $4.65@4.90; straight, $4.40@4.60; extra medium grades, in jute, $3.40@3.75; hard jute sacks, patent, $4.50@4.90; straight, $4.30@4.40; clears, $3.75@4; low grade, $3.10@3.35; spring patents, $5@5.20 in jute.

HAY—Receipts, 910 tons local and 320 tons through; shipments, 955 tons. Quote tons through; shipments, 990 tons. Quote timothy, choice, $17@17.50; No. 1, $15.50@16.50; No. 2, $12@14; No. 3, $8@12; no grade, $5@7. Clover mixed, choice, $14; No. 1, $11.50@12; No. 2, $10@12; clover hay, No. 1, $13@13.50; No. 2, $10@12. Prairie hay—Choice, $12; No. 1, $10@11; No. 2, $9@10. Hay market dull.

CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

(Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 N. Fourth st.)
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can common	4⅛	4¼
do preferred	50	51
Chicago City Railway	....	172
Chicago Edison	87	88
Chicago Subway	16¼	17¼
Chicago T. and Trust	108½	110¼
Chicago Telephone	115	117½
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	....	20
Diamond Match	124	125
Kansas City Light com	42¼	45
do preferred	75	80
Met. W. S Elevated common	18	20
do preferred	45	50
National Biscuit common	73¼	75¼
do preferred	107	108
National Carbon common	54	55
National Carbon pfd.	101	105
N. W. Elevated com	....	21¼
do preferred	....	....
Quaker Oats com.	130	134
do preferred	96	96½
Swift & Co.	99¼	100
South Side Elev. R. R.	60	70
United Boxboard com	1½	1¾
do preferred	11	11½
West Stone	15¼	16
Illinois Brick	30	31

Chinaman Keeps His Word.

"You soon learn in China that you can trust a Chinaman to carry through anything he agrees to do for you," says Samuel Merwin, in Success. "When I reached Tai Yuan-fu I handed my interpreter a Chinese draft for $200 (Mexican), payable to bearer, and told him to go to the bank and bring back the money. I had known John a little more than a week, yet anyone who knows China will understand that I was running no appreciable risk. The individual Chinaman is simply a part of a family, the family is part of a neighborhood, the neighborhood is part of a village or district, and so on. If John had disappeared with my money after cashing the draft, and had afterward been caught, punishment would have been swift and severe. Very likely he would have lost his head. If the authorities had been unable to find John they would have punished his family. Punishment would surely have fallen on somebody."

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FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
WHEAT				
May	97⅝@½	98⅜@½	97⅞	97⅞@½b
July	91¼a	91½b	90½	90⅞b
CORN				
May	58¼a	58⅝	57⅞	57⅞@58b
July	58¼@⅜a	58⅝	58¼@½	58½@⅝
OATS				
May	50¼b	50½a	50¼a	50¼a
July	44⅛b	44⅛b	44⅛b	44⅛a

NEW YORK.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
WHEAT				
May	105⅛	106⅜	105	105⅛
July	101¼-⅜a	102⅛	101⅛	101½b
CORN				
May	70¼b	70⅜	70⅜	70¼b
July	68⅜a	68⅜a	68⅛a	68⅜a

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
WHEAT				
May	105⅞@¼	107¼	105⅞@106	106 b
July	105⅛	107⅛	105⅛	105¾b

KANSAS CITY.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
WHEAT				
May	93¼@⅜b	94¼@⅜	93	93¼
July	87⅛a	88	86⅞	86⅞@87a
CORN				
May	55⅜a	55¼	55¼	55¼
July	54⅞@55a	55⅜	54⅜	54⅞@⅛a

CHICAGO GRAIN.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
WHEAT				
May	97¼@⅜	98⅜	96⅞	97¼a
July	93⅞a	94⅞	93⅛	93⅝@⅞
Sept.	91¼	92	90⅞	91
CORN				
May	61 a	61⅝	60¾	61 a
July	59¼	59⅞	59¼	59¼@⅜b
OATS				
May	53⅛b	54 @⅛	53⅛	53⅝@⅛
July	45⅝	56	45⅝	45⅝b

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Close Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
PORK				
May	$12.20	$12.40	$12.10	$12.12
July	12.50	12.72	12.42-45	12.42-45
LARD				
May	7.67 a	7.77	7.60	7.60 b
July	7.82	7.92	7.75	7.75 b
Sept.	7.92-95	8.00	7.90	7.90 b
RIBS				
May	6.67 a	6.77	6.62-65	6.65 a
July	6.90 a	7.00	6.87	6.87 a

Note—Toledo wheat delayed; wire trouble.

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
WHEAT			
No. 2 red.	100	98 @99	77¼ @78¼
No. 3 red.	98 @99½	93 @98	75 @77
No. 4	90 @96	89 @94½	71 @74½
2 hard	95 @101	94 @99	74 @77
3 hard	91 @98	92 @93	72 @74
4 hard	85 @91	85 @90	66 @70
CORN			
No. 2	56¼ @56½	55¾ @56	43¼
No. 3	56	54¾ @55¼	42¼ @43¾
2 yellow	56	56¼ @56¾	
3 yellow	56	55 @56¼	
2 white	56¾ @57	56 @56¼	43½ @44
3 white	56½	55 @55½	
OATS			
No. 2	50	49½	40
No. 3	49	48 @48½	39¼
2 white	51½	51¼	41½
3 white	50¼ @51	49½ @50¼	40¼ @41
4 white	49 @50¼	48 @49¼	39¼ @40

Short Time Corporation Notes.

Reported daily by D. Arthur Bowman, specialist in short-term securities, 600 New Third National Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

Security.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.	Appx. Yield Pct.
Am. Cigar com. 4s	1911	....	88½	8.00
Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5s	1910	97	98	6.00
At. Coast Line 5s	1910	95¾	96¼	6.10
C. & A. Ry. 4½s	1912	....	92½	6.75
Ches. & Ohio R. R. 6s	1910	92½	....	6.10
C. & W. Ind. 5s	1910	96½	....	6.60
C. C. C. & St. L. 5s	1911	97½	....	6.10
Int. R. T. Co. 5s	1910	93	94	9.00
K. C. S. Coll. 5s	1912	....	92¼	7.00
Lackawanna Steel 5s	1909	....	93½	10.75
L. S. & M. S. 5s	1910	98⅝	99½	5.65
L. & N. R. R. 5s	1910	98¼	99	5.70
Mich. Central 5s	1910	98¼	99	5.70
Minn. & St. Louis 5s	1911	....	96	6.50
Mo. Pac. Conv. 6s	1910	....	99	6.50
N. Y. Cen. 5s	1910	98½	99	5.70
N. Am. Co. 5s	1912	....	92⅜	7.00
Penna. Co. 5s	1910	98½	99¼	5.65
St. L. Br. & M. 5s	1910	95¾	97	6.40
St. L. M. & S. E. 4½s	1909	94	94½	8.50
St. L. & S. F. 5s	1911	94	95½	8.00
St. L. & S. F. 4½s	1912	....	90	8.00
Sou. Ry. 5s	1910	72½	72½	20.00
Wabash R. R. 5s	1910	....	75	8.50
do 4½s	1910	....	87½	10.00
West. Elec. 6s	1910	....	95	10.00

Some of the above quotations are nominal. All are subject to market changes. Closer prices furnished on application.

U. S. Government Bonds.

D. Arthur Bowman, 600 New Third National Bank Building.
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, registered, 1930	103½	104½
2s, coupon, 1930	103⅝	104½
3s, registered, 1908	100⅝	101⅝
3s coupon, 1908	100⅝	101¼
Small bonds, 1908	100¼	......
4s, registered, 1925	118	120
4s, coupon, 1925	119½	121
Pan Canal 2s, reg., 1916-36	103	....
do cou., 1916-36	103	....
Philippine Gov 4s 1914-34	....	110½

BRITISH CRUISERS ANCHOR IN HARBOR NEAR LISBON

Secret Police Believe Anarchists Plot Assassinations Throughout Europe.

LISBON, Feb. 5.—Four British cruisers arrived at Lagis today and anchored in the harbor, where they are expected to remain until confidence in the new King and his ministry is fully restored. The Spanish cruiser Princessa de Asturias has also reached this port.

An anarchist organization with branches in every important city in Europe is now believed by secret service agents here to have been responsible for the assassination of King Carlos and Crown Prince Luis.

The opinion is not shared by the majority of politicians, who still attribute the murders to a petty political plot. The secret police, however, are sure enough of the ground to have sent warnings to most continental capitals that they believe an organization of regicides is plotting throughout Europe.

U. F. CO.'S STEAMER WRECKED

Crew Rescued When Boat Plunges on Cuban Coral Reef.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The United Fruit Co.'s steamer Baker, which plys between Philadelphia and Bocas del Toro, has been wrecked on a coral reef near the Cuban coast, according to information received by the company in this city today. The crew of the steamer was rescued and taken to Havana.

DEATHS.

LAUGHLIN—On Feb. 5, 1908, at 1:30 a. m., Carrie Laughlin, dearly beloved wife of J. J. Laughlin and daughter of John and Katherine Eichenseer, sister of Mary, Charles, John and Henry Eichenseer.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 4311 Gano avenue, Friday, Feb. 7, at 2 o'clock p. m., thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION.
Quarterly dividend No. 27 of 1¾ per cent on the Preferred stock, payable Feb. 29, 1908, was declared Jan. 28, to stockholders of record Feb. 5. Transfer books close at 3 P. M. Feb. 5, and reopen at 10 A. M. March 2.
RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.

"I CALLED HIM A CHEESE, NOT AN ENVOY" T. R.

President Denies Only Respectful Word of Alleged Appellation of German.

HERMAN RIDDER SAD

Taft Opponent Points to Long Record—Regrets "Limburger" Epithet.

The Charge. News dispatches from Washington Tuesday were to the effect that President Roosevelt had referred to Herman Ridder, German, editor of the New York Staats Zeitung, as the "limburger envoy."

The Explanation In view of the widespread publicity given his characterization of the man who opposed him politically, the President said: "Limburger envoy? No, that is wrong. I did not call him an envoy."

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Speaking in sorrow, rather than anger, Herman Ridder expressed his view of the "limburger envoy" appellation.

"I am not exasperated," said Mr. Ridder. "I am not indignant. My only feeling is that of keen regret that the head of the nation, the President of the United States, should be so impatient at criticism, so incensed by opposition to his views, or his policies that he should descend to employ such an expression in designating an American citizen who has dared to disagree with him.

"'The limburger envoy! Unable to recall him.' Is it not regrettable? Mr. Roosevelt knows me well, his seeming hesitation to the contrary notwithstanding.

Follows Lead of Carl Schurz.

"He knows that, although Cleveland Democrat and favoring tariff reform, I have consistently followed the lead of Oswald Ottendorfer and Carl Schurz in local as well as national matters. My record shows that I supported Hewitt, Grace, Cooper and Strong for the mayoralty, and supported Seth Low three times.

"I supported William McKinley twice for the presidency and, of course, supported Mr. Roosevelt when he ran for Vice-President at the second election of McKinley. These were the only occasions when I supported a Republican presidential candidate and these solely for the reason that I believed the best interests of the whole country demanded the election of that ticket.

"Roosevelt an Extremist."

"Mr. Roosevelt is an extremist. He is what might be properly described as a self-centered man. He is willful, impulsive, impatient. He regards as a personal affront any disagreement with his views. He has not hesitated, as everybody knows, to characterize those whose opposed him in language that was stronger than it was polite or diplomatic.

"I was born in the City of New York. I am of German descent and am proud of my race, and Mr. Roosevelt's vulgar criticism in speaking of me as 'the limburger envoy' is simply typical of his remarkable impetuosity.

Personally, I have always regarded the office of President and its incumbent with respect. I am not angry, but I am really sorry that the President of the United States should speak of an American citizen of German extraction as a limburger envoy. He forgets what he owes to the people who placed him in office."

BRYAN DECLARES GAMBLING IN STOCKS IS WORST VICE

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—William Jennings Bryan took the eighth commandment, "Thou Shalt Not Steal," for his text and delivered a forcible sermon before the Civic Forum in Carnegie Hall last night. It was a denunciation of gambling in stocks, and contained nearly as great a variety of adjectives as did President Roosevelt's recent message to Congress on the same subject.

Representative business and professional men were Mr. Bryan's audience. They received him with generous applause when he was introduced by Edward M. Shepperd, and frequently his address was interrupted by hand-clapping.

Worst Form of Vice.

Mr. Bryan said, in part:

"Gambling is one of the worst of vices, and gambling in stocks and in farm products is the most destructive form in which the vice appears. Measured by the number of suicides caused by the New York Stock Exchange, Monte Carlo is an innocent pleasure resort by comparison. Measured by the amount of money changing hands, the contrast is still greater in favor of Monte Carlo; and measured by the influence upon those who do not gamble, the evils of Monte Carlo are insignificant when compared with the evils of New York commercial gambling houses.

"The New York Stock Exchange has graduated more embezzlers than Fagin's school did thieves. The natural laws of supply and demand ought to regulate prices.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Painful cracking, chapping, tender skin healed healthy by Satin skin cream. 25c.

24 POUNDS FOR $1

Standard granulated sugar, 23 pounds best Eastern granulated sugar for $1. The best 20-cent coffee in town. Our French coffee, 4 pounds for $1, is perfectly splendid. Sugar sold with $1 other goods. Cousins, 523 Market street. Kinloch Central 2306; Bell Main 2552.

NINE MORE ROUSING BARGAIN DAYS AND FAMOUS' SWEEPING

REMOVAL SALE

—the most unprecedented value-giving event that has occured in St. Louis in years—will be at an end. Still further and deeper price reductions, entailing tremendous losses, have been made for these last remaining days, to positively force out all remaining goods before February 15th, 1908, when we take possession of our new home on Washington Avenue and Sixth Street, now occupied by The May Co. Thursday's extreme money-saving offerings should particularly appeal to you.

WE GIVE AND THOROUGHLY GUARANTEE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

Famous
BROADWAY AND MORGAN.

We Open Daily at 8:30 A. M. and Close at 5:30 P. M., Except Saturday.

Women's 50c to 69c Garments, 37c

Women's Cambric Skirts — Knee length — with wide ruffle — trimmed with embroidery and lace—
Women's Cambric Drawers—Wide ruffle of tucks and hemstitched hems—also lace trimmed—
Women's Nainsook Chemise—Knee length — embroidery and lace around neck and armhole—
Women's Flannelette Dressing Sacques—Loose and tight-fitting—in many pretty patterns—
Women's Corset Covers—Odd sizes and slightly soiled — embroidery and lace trimmed—some tight-fitting—
Thursday, at Famous, choice for.. **37c**

15c to 25c Toilet Articles, 10c

25c Ounce, Gerald's Perfumes—All odors—
15c Eastman's Talcum Powder—In violet or rose—
19c to 25c Rubber and Horn Dressing Combs—
17c Solid Back Nail Scrubs—
25c Box French Face Powder—All colors—
10c Sachet Envelopes—All odors—2 for
25c Large Bottle Riker's Perfumed Ammonia—
25c Shaving Brushes—Good quality bristles—
Choice Thursday for..... **10c**

Women's $2.50 and $3 Shoes, $1.95

Patent Colt Button Shoes—
Patent Colt Blucher Shoes—
Patent Colt Lace Shoes—
Vici Kid Button Shoes—
Vici Kid Blucher Shoes—
Vici Kid Lace Shoes—
Thursday, at Famous, choice for.. **1.95**

75c and 85c Silks for 42c

24-inch All-Silk Satin Foulards—
33-inch Washable Pongees—
27-inch Light Wash Plaids—
27-inch Japanese Silks—
19-inch Plain Penu de Cygne—
Thursday, at Famous, choice at, yard **42c**

$1.00 and $1.25 Dress Goods, 43c

54-inch All-Wool Scotch Mixtures—
44-inch Satin Bar Plaids—
50-inch All-Wool Cloakings—
52-inch Pin Check Worsteds—
54-inch Bannockburns—
Thursday, at Famous, choice at, yard **43c**

$2.50 to $3 Draperies, Etc., for $1.50

$2.75 Japanese Portieres—
$3.00 Axminster Rugs—27x54 size—
$2.50 Extra Large White Crochet Bed Spreads—Fringed—
$2.50 Silkaline Comforts—Quilted through—filled with white cotton—
$3.00 German Bath Robe Blankets—
$3.00 Nottingham Lace Bed Sets—
$2.50 Heavy Chenille Rope Portieres—
$2.75 and $3.00 Finest Satin Parasols—For baby carriages—
$3.00 6-lb. Feather Pillows—Pair—
$3.50 Bonne Femme Battenberg Lace Curtains—
Thursday, at Famous, choice for . **1.50**

$7 to $9 Bedding, Etc., for $4.50

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Women's $3.50 White Lawn Waists—Thursday..... **1.42**
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Men's Natural Wool-Mixed Undershirts and Drawers—
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Wright's Health Underwear—Shirts and Drawers—broken sizes—
Men's All-Silk Mufflers—Black and fancy colors—
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Men's 39c to 50c Garments, 25c

Men's Brown Derby Ribbed Undershirts—Satin fronts and fleece-lined—
Men's Wool Gloves—Fancy Scotch mixtures—
Men's Black or Tan Imported Lisle Thread Half Hose—
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15c Pad Hose Supporters—White only..
10c Dress Shields—Assorted sizes—
5c bundle India Average Tape—2 bundles for
10c card Hat Pins—One dozen on card—
5c Pin Cubes—100-count—2 for
5c Emory Bags—Assorted styles—2 for
10c card Pearl-Headed Pins—
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19c 40-inch White Victoria Lawn—
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25c Plain White 32-inch Swiss—Sheer quality—
25c 36-inch White Linen-Finish Waistings—
15c New Spring Ginghams — Dress styles—
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